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CROWD STORMS COURT AT NOTT TRIAL

Today

Coal Oil Johnny And John D. R. Two Kinds of Rich; Men, Understand Them!

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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Today Coal Oil Johnny is dead. His life teaches the foolishness of disliking or antagonizing wealth for its own sake. Coal Oil Johnny (real name John W. Steele) was intended for a hard-working, useful farmer.

Providence located him on a small farm, just where he "belonged." But they struck oil on the farm where he lived with his mother. She put the money away carefully until one day, when the fire was low, she threw a little oil on it. That ended her, and Johnny got the fortune.

He had $500,000 in gold and greenbacks, with a thousand dollars a day coming in. So he did many things. He took a bath in champagne, hired a big hotel, invited everybody to join in free, ran his own minstrel show without charging admission, bought another hotel because he wanted the satisfaction of discharging a clerk that had failed to appreciate his importance.

He has just died in poverty, working for a railroad and living with his wife in one end of a little railroad station in Nebraska. A thousand dollars a day, and Coal Oil Johnny spent it all wastefully. That is really "dangerous" wealth: it ruins the owner and ruins others.

The other kind of oil man, John D. Rockefeller, has $100,000 a day and a great deal more. The money is not wasted, not spent in ostentation. Hundreds of millions of it have gone to education and philanthropy, scientific investigation that benefits every human being on earth.

It would be better, of course, if the people could own, develop and use wisely the nation's natural wealth. But do not overlook the difference between oil wealth as represented by Coal Oil Johnny—a farce, a calamity and a waste—and oil wealth as represented by John D. Rockefeller, who employed the ablest engineers to produce his wealth, and then employed the ablest scientists and educators to help him spend it.

It isn't what a man has, it is what he does with what he has, what he wastes, his corrupting influence on legislation, the discontent he creates in others by ostentation, his encouragement of vice and dishonesty, via the race tracks and other things that sometimes make excessive wealth criminally harmful.

George R. Hampton, managing director of the Farmers' National Council, gives you figures about wealth that are supposed to make you shiver. He says: "The thirty-three richest Americans in 1918 owned nearly five thousand million dollars." He is mistaken. The thirty-three richest Americans owned a great deal more than that, but they do not say much about it.

Two per cent. of the entire national wealth, says Mr. Hampton, is owned by thirty-three richest Americans. That also is inaccurate, for ninety-nine per cent. of the national wealth is human labor, and intelligence is owned by individuals, at least technically, all free.

The thing to worry about is not the amount that any individual owns, but how he got it and what he does with it. Leaving out gamblers, profiteers and other thieves, great fortunes are usually built up by hard effort, self-control, efficiency, and especially by improved methods of organization and industrial production.

Improved industry, greater production, better organization are of the utmost importance and greatest value to the nation. The number of millions that an individual may acquire by real work in the course of his organizing and producing is of little importance, provided the money be not used ill.

Coal Oil Johnny, taking his bath in champagne bubbles, and John D. Rockefeller, sipping his milk and seltzer, and driving his little white ball along the golf course, present two extremes of wealth.

Coal Oil Johnny proves nature's wisdom, her marvelous ability for eliminating the unfit.

John D. Rockefeller also illustrates nature's wisdom in utilizing the extraordinary ability of individuals to benefit the human race.

Caesar thought he was conquering for himself; he was really carrying civilization into Gaul.

Christopher Columbus was trying to benefit himself by finding a short cut to India when he found a new world for all of us.

John D. Rockefeller will be remembered in history, like Louis the Eleventh of France, among those whose real worth was not understood even by themselves. Louis the Eleventh beat down and killed off the dukes and barons that menaced the throne and prevented unified government in France—he established unity of weights, measures and government money.

He created modern France, as Cromwell, who thought he was simply engaged in a religious, Cromwell-promoting enterprise, created modern England.

Coal Oil Johnny and John D. Rockefeller; understand them both and you understand partly wealth and the working of divine wisdom.

U. S. GOVERNMENT WEATHER FORECAST

Boston and vicinity: Fair, with little change in temperature tonight and Wednesday; moderate south and southwest winds.

Sun rises at 7:12, sets at 4:52.
High tide at 7:36 a. m., 8:06 p. m.
Temperature at 11 p. m. 48; maximum 48, minimum 37; average 43; at 7 p. m. 46.
Light all vehicles at 4:56 p. m.

EX-MAYOR CURLEY SUES BROKERS FOR $100,000

$1,000 FOR MAINE BRIDE

Mrs. Lota C. Seimmon Awarded Second Prize in "Loveliest Girl" Competition

The winner of the second prize in the Boston American's Loveliest Girl Contest is Mrs. Lota C. Seimmon of Portage, Me.

Mrs. Seimmon is a bride of five weeks, a Southern girl and a graduate of Cox College, Atlanta, Ga. She was born in Paro, Ga., but lived most of her life in Alabama. She is twenty-one years old.

Her husband, Dr. Lawrence E. Seimmon, Harvard '16, and a graduate of Johns Hopkins Medical School, has settled in a log cabin in Portage, in the northern tip of Aroostook County, close to the Canadian boundary, to practice medicine, and his bride is now a New England girl.

The eleventh hour entry of Mrs. Seimmon in the Boston American's Loveliest Girl Contest and her success in winning, by her personal charm and intellect, the award of $1,000 in gold, was a dramatic finale to a courtship and marriage that had all the dash, color and settings of a movie scenario. And Mrs. Seimmon and her physician husband are young and fine-looking enough to fill the roles. Here is the story, in Mrs. Seimmon's own words:

"Boston newspapers are days late reaching our part of the world in Winter. One day I picked up a copy of the Boston American and saw the Loveliest Girl notice and pictures of contestants and told Lawrence I was

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CARDINAL GIBBONS HAS RESTFUL NIGHT

Baltimore, Jan. 4.—Cardinal Gibbons, who returned to Baltimore yesterday from Union Hill, where he lay stricken for three weeks, was reported today to have passed a restful night. "He slept as peaceful as a child" was the word that came from the prelate's household today. A cablegram of sympathy from Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, has been received at the Cardinal's residence.

WOMAN GETS YEAR ON CHECK CHARGES

Sabra B. Dyer of Belfast, Me., in the Lynn Court today, charged with the larceny of $280.80 from four local banks by means of false checks, was given a year's suspended sentence in the House of Correction. She has made restitution to the banks.

ALLIED PREMIERS MEET LATE THIS MONTH

London, Jan. 4.—The allier premiers will hold their conference toward the end of January to discuss German disarmament, reparations and the future policy towards Greece, it was stated by the Central News today.

CARUSO IMPROVES; HAD RESTFUL NIGHT

New York, Jan. 4.—Enrico Caruso, Metropolitan tenor who was stricken with pleurisy on Christmas Eve, was reported to be resting comfortably in his apartments at the Vanderbilt Hotel today. There was no change in his condition, it was said, and he spent a restful night.

Central Figures in the Nott Murder Trial

FINE IRISH TOWN 100 POUNDS

Chairman of Fermoy Council Held as Hostage by British Forces

By International News Service.

London, Jan. 4.—The town of Fermoy in the Irish martial law zone has been fined 100 pounds sterling by the British military authorities because martial law posters were torn down, said a dispatch from Dublin today.

The chairman of the Fermoy Council has been arrested by the British as a hostage.

The Rev. Father Delahunty, curate of Callan, has been sentenced to two years by a British court-martial for having seditious literature in his possession.

More British troops are being sent into Ireland. A battalion of regulars left Plymouth during the night.

The Daily News says that important developments in the Irish peace situation are expected within three weeks. According to this newspaper Archbishop Clune is again acting as intermediary between the British government and the Sinn Fein.

The whereabouts of Eamon de Valera are unknown.

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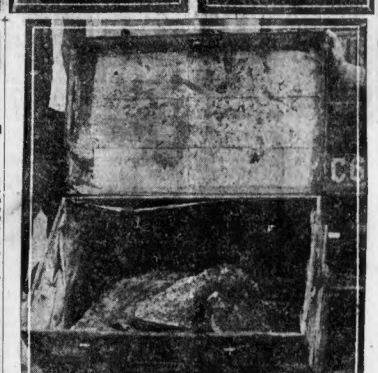

The death trunk which held the body of George Nott, one of the grewsome exhibits at the Nott murder trial. Inside are seen the three large stones alleged to have been used to weight down the trunk into the quicksands where it was found. Above, left to right, Ruth Nott, thirteen years old; Mrs. Ethel H. Nott, the mother, and George Nott, Jr., eleven years old.

WIDOW IS WITNESS AT TRIAL

Mrs. Nott, in Court, Does Not Look at Man Accused of Killing

Bridgeport, Ct., Jan. 4.—Men, women and growing girls literally mobbed the courthouse here today for seats at the trial of Elwood B. Wade, twenty-three years old, charged with the murder of George B. Nott.

Lines of people stretched away from the court building in all directions and this crowd became angry and even threatening when it was announced the little courtroom would seat only 200.

Only a heavy guard prevented the disappointed from forcing their way into the already overcrowded courthouse.

Largely responsible for this intense interest was the first appearance in court of Mrs. Ethel H. Nott, wife of the murdered man, alleged sweetheart of young Wade, and jointly accused of the crime.

Mrs. Nott appeared in deep mourning. She kept her head bowed all through the proceedings. Even when Wade was brought in and took a seat a few yards from her she did not raise her head.

Her lips twitched convulsively as she listened to the testimony, and several times she cried silently.

While Mrs. Nott is not a defendant in the case now in progress, it is expected she will be a witness against the man who is alleged to have killed for love of her.

Next to Mrs. Nott in the courtroom sat John Edward Johnston, Wade's friend, who is also accused of complicity in the Nott murder.

Wade was accompanied into court by his father and stepmother, Mr. and

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Secret Jap Treaty Denied by London

By International News Service.

London, Jan. 4.—The growing controversy as to whether a secret treaty exists between Great Britain and Japan ended today with formal announcement by the British Foreign Office that there were no secret agreements or understandings of any kind between this country and Japan.

"In the most improbable eventuality of such of a war (between Japan and the United States) Japan would not expect England to come to her help," said the Times today in commenting upon a statement by Baron Hayashi, Japanese Ambassador to Great Britain, that the Anglo-Japanese alliance does not menace the United States. The Times added:

"There exists no secret agreement between Japan and England, nor is it the intention of Japan to use the alliance as a means of direct pressure upon an old friend—the United States."

ONLY BIG STORM TO STOP SCHOOL

Sessions to Be Kept Except When Severe Weather Blocks Transportation

No school signals hereafter will be given only on days when the weather is so severe as virtually to suspend transportation, and will apply to day elementary schools only, according to an amendment today by Superintendent of Schools Frank V. Thompson.

The School Committee has been conducting an investigation of the no school signal system in this city and other large centres, and reports that the present system, although most satisfactory, is the only one that can be continued.

In announcing this plan the committee also reminds parents that under the terms of the school law they are entitled to keep children at home when conditions are such as might result in sickness to the youngsters. Principals have been instructed not to penalize children kept at home under such circumstances.

FIRE DRIVES 20 MEN FROM BEDS TO STREET

Twenty men were forced to leave their beds and flee in the street, when fire broke out beneath them, in the saloon of Michael Walsh, No. 758 Washington street. John Sperry, proprietor of the chambers, discovered the flames and aroused the lodgers. The flames caused an estimated loss of $100.

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Details on Page 6.

POSSE OFF FOR WILDCAT HUNT

Vassar Girl With Party of Big Game Seekers Aiding Terrorized Monterey

Pittsfield, Jan. 4.—Led by Cortlandt Field Bishop, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Beatrice B. Bishop, a student at Vassar, and their guest, Count Lucian Lusi, a Corsican nobleman and big game hunter, a posse of citizens started today to exterminate the pack of wildcats which have been terrorizing the residents of Monterey for the past two weeks.

Bishop was accompanied by Charles Kimberley, Perry Fargo, Earl Loon, Charles Hanlon, John Johnson and Charles Gregory, all experienced hunters of wildcats.

Gregory, who is seventy years old,

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NEGLECTED COLDS

Often result in serious grip attacks. Build up strength to prevent yourself again! Aids to taking Father John's Medicine. No dangerous drugs.—Advt.

First Twins of New Year for Boston

The honor of having the first twins born in Greater Boston in 1921 is claimed by Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Finnerty, of No. 47 Mellen street, Dorchester.

Shortly after midnight today Mrs. Finnerty gave birth to two robust boys, the first at 12:30 and the second one-half hour later, weighing six and a half and six and three-quarters pounds respectively. The mother is doing well.

The couple have two other boys, the oldest not yet four years and the younger two years.

As a result the overjoyed Mr. Finnerty, a salesman for Batchelder & Snyder in Faneuil Hall Market, who is a former professional singer, declares that he will have a male quartet in his home shortly.

TWO HELD IN BIG LIQUOR PLOT

Lowell Dealer and Former License Commissioner Arrested; Whiskey Seized

John J. Mullaney, former licensing commissioner for Lowell and a member of the High School Building Commission in that city, and Anthony Conway, a former Lowell liquor dealer, were before Commissioner Hayes in Federal Court today, charged with the violation of the liquor laws.

Mullaney and Conway were arrested by Prohibition Enforcement Officer John Olden following the seizure of $12,000 worth of bonded whiskey and alcohol, which it is alleged was hidden by the two in a barn on Stack's farm in Tyngsboro, eight miles from Lowell.

The raid on the barn, carried out by several Federal officers, is believed to have uncovered a huge smuggling deal in which Mullaney and Conway were to make at least $40,000 on the transaction.

The whiskey was in ten barrels, and in the barn, covered with straw, were also thirteen barrels of grain alcohol and considerable distilled water. It was stated by the enforcement officers say, to mix the whiskey with the alcohol and water, to make an inferior liquor, and to sell it in Lowell as bottled in bond goods.

A woman who lived on the farm was questioned by the raiders, and it was from her that they got knowledge which led to the arrest of the two prominent Lowell men.

CHARGES BREACH OF FAITH BY FIRM

Former City Executive's Home Recently Attached by Present Defendants

Former Mayor James M. Curley today filed an attachment for $100,000 against E. M. Hamlin & Company of Boston.

The National Shawmut Bank and the Boston Fidelity Trust Company are named trustee in the papers, which were filed at the Middlesex Registry of Deeds by former District Attorney William J. Corcoran.

The attachment is in an action of contract. E. M. Hamlin & Co. are brokers at No. 148 State street.

The firm recently brought suit against Curley for $15,458.55, which, it was claimed, was due as the result of transactions with the ex-Mayor.

According to the claim of the stock brokers, Mr. Curley began his dealings with the firm in August, 1919, and continued until November of this year. Mr. Curley's transactions covered a wide range of well-known securities listed on the exchange.

The Metropolitan Trust Company was named in the suit of Hamlin & Co. as having funds in its possession belonging to Mr. Curley.

An attachment for $25,000 was made against the house and land owned by Mr. Curley at No. 350 Jamaica Way.

ALLOWS NATIONAL BANKS TO RUN SAVINGS FUNDS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—Representative Elston of California has introduced a bill in the House permitting national banks to conduct savings departments, providing they comply with State laws regulating savings banks.

DARTMOUTH IS LEFT $250,000 FOR BUILDING

New York, Jan. 4.—Dartmouth College is left $250,000 for the erection of a memorial building by the will of Sanford H. Steele, lawyer, who died December 18 at Pinehurst, N. C. The building will be a memorial to his brother, Benjamin Hipman Steele.

160 BELIEVED LOST ON SUNKEN SPANISH BOAT

London, Jan. 4.—One hundred and sixty persons are believed to have lost their lives when the Spanish steamship Santa Isabel sank off Solora Island, according to dispatches from Madrid today.

MICHAEL BUTNEY, 16, OF CHELSEA, MISSING

The Chelsea police have been asked to locate sixteen-year-old Michael Butney, missing from his home, No. 23 Beacon street, Chelsea, since last Tuesday. The boy is described as of dark complexion, weighing 105 pounds. He wore a brown cap, a dark overcoat and brown shoes.

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WADE CHEERED BY PRESENCE OF WIFE AT NOTT MURDER TRIAL

DEFENDANT CONFRONTED BY GHASTLY EXHIBITS

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Mrs. Elmer Wade, sad by the young and devoted wife, who is evidently prepared to stand by him in his hour of trial. Her presence cheers Wade.

Charles Walker, Jr., a Stamford architect, was the first witness today. He exhibited a floor plan of the Nott household, where the State alleges that Nott was done to death by Wade, Johnson and his wife.

Walker was handled in direct examination by State's Attorney Homer S. Cummings, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee.

Medical Examiner Charles L. M. Garlick was the next witness. He caused a shudder when he stated that four "types" of mortal wounds were found on Nott's body—incised, lacerations, crushing and gun-shot.

FOUND IN SWAMP.

Dr. Garlick said he got the body for an autopsy after it had been recovered from a swamp ten miles from the Nott home.

It was "folded up" in the trunk, which was partly filled with water. The body was bent inward. The left arm was over by the sides, the knees drawn up, and the head resting on the chest.

In the trunk, he testified, were fragments of window curtains, some underclothes and a few other articles of clothing.

The items which he mentioned was caused, the State will try to prove, with a butcher knife. Dr. Garlick testified the cuts were "multiple."

The claim that the accused man had caused an injury on the head when a child and that it had a permanent detrimental effect on his mind was expected to be the chief argument of his attorneys against a conviction. Noted alienists have been retained for him.

Mrs. Nott before her marriage was Ethel Hutchins of Chelsea, Mass., and the slain man before coming to Bridgeport to reside was engaged in the coal business at Chelsea. Prior to his death he was manager of a widely known sporting club in this city.

The stories of few murder cases are dyed as deeply in brutality as that which the prosecution claims to have woven around the trio under arrest here for the killing of Nott.

There was a ghastly array of exhibits on view when the taking of evidence began today. Holding the chief place of prominence was the trunk into which Nott's body and the bullet-riddled hoop is alleged to have been stuffed while still warm—with the three large stones Wade and Johnson are alleged to have placed in it that it might sink more rapidly into the quicksands of a swamp, ten miles from the city, where, according to the State, their victim was thrown to the dark of night.

There was the 32-calibre revolver with which Wade is declared to have fired four shots, two of which entered Nott's body and the carpenter-made carving knife which Mrs. Nott is said to have handed Wade to "finish the job." Nineteen deep wounds are inflicted with that instrument, the State alleges.

It was in the guise of delivering milk to the Nott home on the second floor of a two-family house on Lafayette avenue, this city, that Wade and his companion, Johnston, went there on the morning of Sunday, August 29, last.

Johnston, younger than Wade in years and according to those who knew both men, much younger in experience, took the taking of Nott's father's debt by many acts of friendship. Johnston, a country youth, had few friends in Bridgeport and much appreciated the kindnesses, such as an occasional treat to dinner in a downtown restaurant. Therefore, according to testimony brought out at the inquest, he readily accompanied his benefactor when the latter asked him to go with him to Nott's house that morning to give Nott a "licking."

Wade and Nott had words a month or six weeks earlier. Nott had ordered Wade to stay away from his home, according to acquaintances. On the morning of the slaying, it is alleged, Mrs. Nott telephoned Wade that she had suffered blows from her husband.

Nott, whose duties kept him at the sporting club the greater part of the night, was asleep in bed, the State contends, when Wade and Johnston entered carrying milk bottles.

SAY JOHNSTON FLED.

Wade went into the bedroom, according to the State's evidence, armed with a section of iron pipe such as used in automobile jacks and struck Nott over the head as he lay in bed. Johnston, it is said, was removing close behind with a hatchet, but Wade, it is said, struck the blow administered the man, turned and fled from the house.

After the blow from the iron pipe, it is said, Nott leaped from bed, pajama clad, and tackled his assailant. They grappled on the stairs. Wade then drew his revolver and fired the fatal shot. It was as his victim lay groaning near the foot of the stairs, the State claims, that Wade seized the butcher knife from Mrs. Nott and delivered the stabs.

Wade, the police say, admits that he went to the attic, secured a trunk belonging to Mrs. Nott and dragged it to the bottom of the stairs where the dead man lay. Then as the two Nott children, Ruth, thirteen years old, and George, Jr., eleven years old, looked on, he put the body in it.

The two children were ordered to play the pianola in order that the curiosity of neighbors might not be aroused by the revolver shots.

The "death" trunk was kept in the house all that day. A few articles of bedclothing, a lace curtain and a photograph of Mrs. Nott were placed on top so that to one who only lifted the top it appeared as though packed with household goods.

REMOVED SECOND TRUNK.

At 9 o'clock that night a second trunk was taken from the Nott house and sent to the railroad station. The trunk into which Nott's body and the bullet-riddled hoop is alleged to have been stuffed while still warm—with the three large stones Wade and Johnson are alleged to have placed in it that it might sink more rapidly into the quicksands of a swamp, ten miles from the city, where, according to the State, their victim was thrown to the dark of night.

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"Al" Smith Now a Truckman

Photo by International.

When the Governor was defeated for re-election in New York he was boomed for about everything to which a political leader can aspire, including the mayoralty of New York, but "Al" spurned all suggestions. His ambition was to run a fleet of auto trucks and move furniture, boxes and such. Now he's on the job. In this photograph he appears in the centre.

BRITISH FINE IRISH TOWN

Fermoy Ordered to Pay 100 Pounds for Tearing Down Martial Law Posters

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lera, the elusive "President of the Irish republic" has not been revealed, but it is reported he is in touch with the British government through other Sinn Fein leaders.

The English police continue their raiding activities in English cities in search for Sinn Feiners, exclusively and Sinn Fein literature. Two men were arrested at Liverpool during the night following a raid upon a house where a quantity of explosives were found.

Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork has sent a second appeal to the American Red Cross for assistance for suffering in that city, said a dispatch from Dublin today, and asked for a definite reply one way or the other.

Dispatches from Dublin tell of new disorders in many parts of Ireland.

At Ballyland, two miles south of Mallow and Thomas Murphy, who have been hunted by the police, were pursued by officers in a military car and killed.

A large force of the military raided and forced the doors of a Carmelite convent at Dublin Sunday night. They searched every room and all correspondence was scrutinized.

The convent graveyard was visited and the grave of a nun who was buried on December 4 was opened. The authorities are of the opinion that arms and ammunition are hidden in some of the religious houses.

According to a Central News dispatch from Limerick three military officers were abducted by the police Saturday at Kilmallock. Two were later released, but the third, a army captain, is being held on a charge of murder.

Armed forces invaded the Cossan district in County Athlone, conducted many raids and fired a public hall.

America to Protest Gun Raid by British

Dublin, Jan. 4.—It is learned that Consul Dumont, acting on behalf of the American government, is making strong diplomatic representations to the British government regarding the action of the British military in boarding and searching the Pontis, the vessel on which it was expected to find President De Valera of the Irish Republic.

He will point out to the British government that although it is within the jurisdiction to search all vessels entering territorial waters, it is not within their province to place guns upon any American vessel.

Machine guns were taken aboard the Pontis when the search began. Also, when the soldiers boarded the vessel they had iron bars in their possession ready to break open any part of the boat.

With the case of the Pontis will also be made representations regarding several other American boats entering Irish waters while they were being held and searched within the past few months. It is also said to be a fact that when Lieutenant Russell was returning to his boat at Cork he was fired on and wounded in the shoulder.

GALLUP INAUGURATED MAYOR OF NORTH ADAMS

North Adams, Jan. 4.—When Harvey A. Whitaker was inaugurated Mayor, succeeding Esra D. Whitaker, who has been chief executive for the past four years, North Adams for the first time since it became a city, in 1895, was without a Whitaker as a member of the city government. The retiring Mayor served four years as Mayor, twelve years as councilman and before that his father, the late Valmore A. Whitaker, served for nine years in the city council.

RICH DESERTER FACES JAIL

New Haven's "Millionaire Kid" Must Prove He Works or Go to Prison

New Haven, Ct., Jan. 4.—Louis Osterweiss, known locally as the "Millionaire Kid," left here for Kansas City, where he will attempt to convince Federal Judge Pollock that he earned his living during the last year. Failing, and his friends are fearful that he will, the young man —he is twenty-four—will be sent to the penitentiary.

Osterweiss deserted from the army, was arrested and sent to the military prison at Fort Leavenworth. He was convicted in Kansas City of frauds in the prison and when arraigned before Judge Pollock for sentence he pleaded for mercy. The government records showed that the young man had been plentifully supplied with money by his mother, was rated as a millionaire, and was never known to have worked.

"You have had too much money and not enough knocks," the judge said to him. "You have been fed on soothing syrups when you needed strap oil. I am going to parole you under a $10,000 bond, and give you a chance to make good. If you can do this your parole will be continued; if you cannot I then will pass sentence."

Just before the departure from New Haven, Osterweiss visited a local trust company which is conservator for his estate. It is presumed he got money to go West.

ROBBER, FRIGHTENED BY SCREAMS, GETS CIGAR

A robber who held up Mrs. Abraham Biller in her husband's store at No. 353 Lowell street, Somerville, was frightened away by the screams of the woman, with a lone cigar as his loot. Mrs. Biller said that he asked for a cigar and eggs, and while she was wrapping them up he ordered her to turn over the contents of the cash register, at the same time pointing a revolver at her. She screamed and he fled.

LAWRENCE WIFE FOR ONE WEEK GRANTED DIVORCE

Lawrence, Jan. 4.—A decree nisi for desertion was entered for Mrs. Adrienne Collins of this city who testified in the divorce court session here that her husband, Michael, left her about one week after they were married on December 21, 1909, while living with her mother.

COLONEL BURTT JOINS ARMY STAFF IN BOSTON

Lieutenant-Colonel W. B. Burtt, formerly brigadier-general and chief of staff in the Fifth Corps, has begun his duties as assistant chief of First Army Corps area. He saw service in the Meuse sector, St. Mihiel and the Argonne.

Veteran Goes Insane After Premonition

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—"Please have someone come to see me, as I had a breakdown because of my experiences and wounds in France." This was the note Clifford A. Baldwin of Camden post, American Legion, received from Walter F. Marshall, thirty-two years old, a shell-shocked veteran of the World War.

Marshall had a premonition he would become insane, and soon after sending the note that is what happened. Today he was taken to the county asylum at Blackwood. He is married and has one child.

U. S. IS READY TO INVADE CUBA

To Be Warned That Troops Will Return if Conditions Don't Change

By International News Service.

Washington, Jan. 4.—When Major-General Enoch H. Crowder arrives in Havana on the battleship Minnesota tomorrow he will be prepared to give President Menocal of Cuba some straight from the shoulder talk.

General Crowder has instructions from President Wilson to convey to Menocal this government's "views" on the situation in Cuba and to point out that in many respects it is little different from that prevailing in 1906, when President Roosevelt ordered 6,000 soldiers to undertake "the second American intervention."

Menocal's term of office expires in May, 1921, and General Crowder will inform the Cuban President that if no decision has been reached as to who shall succeed to the office then an ad interim government must be established and the United States would have no choice but to intervene.

Under the Cuban Constitution and the American treaty, the United States and the latter alone has the power to administer an ad interim government.

General Crowder will tell Menocal that although elections were held in Cuba in 1916 and 1917, the people of the United States there has been no definite announcement of the result and victory is claimed by two factions.

The courts have shown no inclination to take action in numerous contested cases.

The Platt amendment incorporated into the Cuban constitution provides that the United States shall intervene whenever necessary "for the preservation of Cuban independence, the maintenance of a government adequate for the protection of life, property and individual liberty and for discharging the obligations with respect to Cuba imposed by the treaty of Paris on the United States."

Unsatisfactory financial conditions in Cuba have been greatly aggravated by the fact that the political situation and the State Department is convinced that continuance of the present state of affairs would prove harmful to Cuba and the United States.

American financiers who had tentatively agreed to lend from fifty millions to seventy-five millions to Cuban bankers became alarmed and declined to make loans until more stable conditions were established. The holding up of this loan is regarded as mainly responsible for the extension of the moratorium.

LAMONT AND MOORS TO OCCUPY HARVARD PULPIT

Thomas W. Lamont, the New York banker, and John Farrell Moors are to occupy the laymen to occupy the Harvard pulpit at daily morning services, starting Thursday. Such an arrangement is unparalleled in the history of the university, as both are of the board of governors, boards and never before have members of these bodies acted as preachers.

Moors will preach the opening sermon officially. The next morning Thomas N. Page will serve, and on Saturday George Wigglesworth will occupy the pulpit. Judge Lowell will apprehension expressed by Argentina over the provisions of the emergency tariff legislation now before Congress. That country, Davies declared, felt that if it were shut out of the United States from selling wheat, meat, wool and hides to the United States, Argentina would be in no financial condition to buy American products. The President-elect's desire of encouraging and increasing trade with South America and at the same time is determined to afford protection to American farmers and stockgrowers.

Authoritative information that Senator Harding is anxious to induce Frank O. Lowden to enter the public service has served to revive reports that the former candidate for the Republican nomination may be named as ambassador to one of the more important world capitals, possibly to London.

SUGAR LOSSES CAUSE RUN ON MEXICAN BANK

Mexico City, Jan. 4.—Rumors that bankers had lost heavily in speculation on Cuban sugar caused a run on the Paris-Mexico Bank. The bank closed its doors at Puebla, Mexico. It was denied that a serious financial situation exists.

The bank was closed to avoid exhaustion of funds by the run. Officials declared that the bank's finances were sound and there was no reason for alarm.

LAWRENCE CITY COUNCIL WILL MEET EVENINGS

Lawrence, Jan. 4.—One of the first acts to be performed by the new city government was to change the time of council meetings to evenings, so that mill workers may attend.

Since the new charter was adopted meetings have been held in the morning. Alderman Peter Carr has been named president of the local City Council.

BETHLEHEM STEEL TO CUT PAY 10 TO 20 P. C.

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 4.—Wage cuts of from 10 to 20 per cent. affecting all plants of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, the largest independent steel organization in the country, on January 16, it was announced by the company officials today.

The Bethlehem plants at Lebanon, Pa., and at Sparrows Point also are affected by the wage cuts.

CLARA HAMON'S TRIAL TO BE LATE THIS MONTH

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 4.—Attorney J. B. A. Robertson, today directed Prince C. Dreiling, Attorney General of Oklahoma, to take charge of the prosecution of Clara Smith Hamon, charged with slaying Jake L. Hamon, millionaire oil man of Ardmore. The trial probably will be held late this month.

CONCORD COUPLE'S 54TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. George Francis Wheeler of Concord will observe the fifty-fourth anniversary of their wedding, in their home here, next Friday. Mr. Wheeler is well known in Grand Army circles. Wilfrid Wheeler, former secretary of the State Department of Agriculture, is their son.

Inventory Filed

An inventory of the estate of Henry C. Stedor of Somerville, who died September 5, has been filed. The estate is valued at $43,167.99 all in personal property.

Hub College Girls of Lofty Brow

Charles F. D. Belden, librarian of the Boston Public Library, declares that college girls in this section are very much alive when it comes to keeping in touch with the affairs of the world and in reading literature of all varieties.

Press dispatches from Chicago, where the American Library Association recently held a convention, state that the college girl of today never uses her eyes to look at a book if she can possibly see them for other purposes; that she would rather turn the crank of a fivereel than turn over a new leaf, if that leaf has printing on it; and, in short, that as a reader of literature she is fantastically absent.

"I cannot agree with that statement insofar as it applies to Boston and its suburbs," said Mr. Belden. "The college girl in this section reads most of the material that the libraries have to offer. That has always been true, for the college girl has a desire to keep in touch with things. They are very much alive in keeping posted on literary matters.

"The large libraries are ready, however, in a position to meet the demand for serious books. The increased demand for the serious books is one of the reactions from the war period. During the hundreds of thousands of young men learned the value of books in army camps and marine stations at home and overseas.

"They studied to perfect themselves in their new profession, that of war. They knew that advancement could only come through sound knowledge based on intellectual effort.

"The percentage of non-fiction used in camp libraries was very high in comparison with the fiction. After the armistice the men left the war books and turned to those that would be of help to them in their home work and profession, medicine, technology, law, farming, agriculture and the sciences.

"The ex-service men today scattered throughout the country are making demands on the public libraries as never before. The library represents for them a continuing university furnishing free books dealing with all kinds of knowledge."

DOES NOT APPLY TO BOSTON.

Frank C. Bisiedell, another assistant librarian at the library, was positive the college girls did not read "trashy stuff."

"We do not keep a record of what the college girls read, but I can assure you that what they do read is high grade," said Mr. Bisiedell. "Even during the hundreds of thousands of young men learned the value of books in army camps and marine stations at home and overseas.

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HARDING LOOKS FOR EXPERTS

Seeking Qualified Men for Diplomatic Representatives in Latin America

By International News Service.

Marion, O., Jan. 4.—President-elect Harding is looking for men possessing tact, personal charm, statesmanship and a thorough knowledge of the history, customs, conditions and peculiarities of Latin-America.

When he finds them he wants to make them diplomatic representatives of the United States in South American capitals. His own announcement that no diplomatic posts yet have been tendered makes it evident that this available material is not over abundant.

Senator Harding, it became known today, feels that the problems they will have to face makes the selection of the men who are available for the Latin-American posts an imperative one.

The scope of some of those problems was brought to the attention of Senator Harding when he met W. Davies of New York, who recently returned from South America. Davies outlined the apprehension expressed by Argentina over the provisions of the emergency tariff legislation now before Congress. That country, Davies declared, felt that if it were shut out of the United States from selling wheat, meat, wool and hides to the United States, Argentina would be in no financial condition to buy American products. The President-elect is desirous of encouraging and increasing trade with South America and at the same time is determined to afford protection to American farmers and stockgrowers.

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STORE GIRL, FINED ON THEFT CHARGE, APPEALS

Fully three hours were taken up with testimony before Judge Parmenter in the Municipal Court in the case of Miss Beulah Shaw, aged twenty-six, of No. 663 Massachusetts avenue, who was charged with the larceny of $1.10 from a downtown department store where she was employed as clerk. She was found guilty, fined $25 and appealed.

WARSHIPS TO PROTECT AMERICANS ON BALTIC

Washington, Jan. 4.—The United States will probably send a warship to Riga and other Baltic ports as the result of such protection is requested from American representatives there, the State Department announced today.

Girls' Seminary Burns

Lewisburg, W. Va., Jan. 4.—The Lewisburg Presbyterian Seminary for Girls was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $125,000. Only a few students were in the building, a majority of the 200 being away for the holidays.

To Count All Uncle Sam's Money

By International News Service.

Washington, Jan. 4.—When John Burke, United States treasurer, has counted all of the money in Uncle Sam's coffers he will retire from public life, he announced today. He has resigned.

Under the law a retiring treasurer and his successor must make a count of the moneys in the public treasury before a change in office. This work will take about one week, Burke estimated.

Treasurer Burke will join the private banking and brokerage firm of Cardos & Co., in New York, and the future firm name will be Cardos & Burke.

73, and the Father of 8, Weds Again

Spencer, Jan. 4.—Louis Sisay, seventy-three years old, and his bride of seventy-two, are the happiest people in Spencer today. Sisay's eight children, all of whom live here, are the most surprised, for their father walked in on them, his newly acquired third wife at his side, and announced that "a fellow as young as me needs the guiding influence of a wife to help him along in life."

The third Mrs. Sisay, who has been a widow thirty years, which she says is long enough for any woman to remain single, agrees with her chipper young husband that no one can afford to remain single indefinitely.

Sisay's second wife died about a year ago, and he himself says that since then he has been lonesy.

The eight children and the friends of the couple are planning a reception to celebrate the wedding Saturday and Sunday.

AFIRE, CALLS AID OVER PHONE

Lynn Woman's Appeal Heard at Exchange and Police Are Rushed to Scene

Miss Bessie Fitzpatrick, a telephone operator in the Lynn exchange, today helped to save the life of Mrs. Lydia Stokes of No. 41 Hamilton avenue, Lynn, who had been painfully burned about the back in her home.

A light flashed on the board of the exchange. Miss Fitzpatrick heard these words. "I'm burning, I'm burning, send help!" The girl traced the call to the home of Ralph Stokes, and then notified the police.

Officers were rushed to the house Mrs. Stokes was found on the floor with the telephone transmitter near her mouth. In another room was her four-months-old daughter, Mrs. Stokes had attempted to light the kitchen range, using a piece of newspaper which she had ignited at the gas range. Her gown took fire from this flame.

"GRAND OLD MAN OF LAWRENCE" DEAD

Lawrence, Jan. 4.—Daniel S. Jordan, for the past seventy-three years a resident of Lawrence, is dead in his ninety-seventh year at his home, No. 124 East Haverhill street.

The "Grand Old Man of Lawrence," who was born in Biddeford, Me., in 1824, had been in business here for years with his brother.

Mr. Jordan was a direct descendant of Robert Jordan, anti-witchcraft advocate, who once took care of the spiritual needs of the people living between Cape Ann Bay and Saco, Me. Mr. Jordan had retired from active life. He is survived by his wife. The Rev. Mr. Cummings of Boston will officiate at the funeral services tomorrow.

MANCHESTER DOCTOR IS LEGION COMMANDER

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—Dr. A. Gale Straw, one of Manchester's leading physicians, who served with the rank of Major in the Medical Corps in France for nearly the entire period of the war, was installed as commander of Henry J. Sweeney Post, American Legion, by State Commander Reginald Stevenson of Exeter and State Adjutant Frank J. Abbott of Manchester.

Other post officers are: Vice commander, Thomas Fitzgerald; 2d adjutant, Walter Lackie; 3d assistant adjutant, Eugene T. Sherburne; secretary-treasurer, Harold Nute; war risk officer, Maurice F. Devins.

U. S. BUSINESS MEN WILL VISIT MEXICO

Washington, Jan. 4.—Extraordinary sessions of the Mexican congress will be inaugurated on January 15, the official Mexican agency here announced today.

The agency also announced that the federation of chambers of commerce of Mexico has appointed a committee to organize excursions of American business men to Mexico.

FLEET GATHERS FOR MANEUVERS

U. S. Ships, Going on Long Cruise, to Carry Air Fighters

By International News Service.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 4.—An imposing armada of war ships, including the whole Atlantic fleet, in gathering off the Virginia Capes today for some of the most extensive maneuvers ever conducted by the American sea fighting machine.

On February 5, following the maneuvers, the fleet will weigh anchor for a long cruise. After visiting Cuba, Panama and other countries, the battleships will pass into the Pacific and visit the western coast of South America.

During maneuvres the ships will engage in target practice, both by night and day, firing at stationary moving targets. There will be speed tests and movements in battle formation to give the sailors a taste of what they might expect in time of warfare.

A squadron of seaplanes will be used for the first time in directing gunfire at night.

The battleship Oklahoma is equipped with two powerful airlighters that can rise almost instantly from the tops of the big ships' gun turrets.

The fleet will be gone five months and will carry an unusually large supply of baseballs, footballs, boxing gloves and other sporting paraphernalia. The fleet includes dreadnoughts, battleships, destroyers and supply ships.

HUNTERS START OUT AFTER WILDCATS

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has been hunting the pests since he was ten.

The party started from Great Barrington, intending to ascend Bear Town Mountain from that side, as the hunters believe that the wildcats have their dens near the top.

The cats in the vicinity of Monterey have been growing bolder lately. Early today two of them raided the hen roost of Wilbur Harmon, who lives on the edge of the sixties of Swans forest, the 1,000 acres of government reservation near Old Camp.

Another chased a large buck out on the ice of Lake Garfield, and the flash looked like a deer and that, too, was witnessed by several men, among whom were Fargo and Kimberley.

The hunters went armed with heavy axes and clubs, and other parties are being made up at Monterey to attack the cats from the other side of the mountain.

For more than two weeks the animals have been growing so bold in that vicinity that children have been afraid to go to school, and women fear to venture on the streets of the town at night.

Mr. Bird took with him Lupe, a German police dog, as well as Rusty and Lady, two fox terriers.

So far the only actual encounter with one of the cats has been reported by Leslie Allen, a guard, who says that the animals with a hatchet after the cat, which had just killed a fine dog. The man was badly clawed and his clothing almost ripped from his back.

The county has offered a reward of $8 for each of the cats killed.

GRAND TRUNK LOSES ITS GUARANTEE SUIT

Washington, Jan. 4.—Mandamus proceedings to force the Secretary of the Treasury to pay immediately the guarantee under the transportation act to the Grand Trunk and Western railroad were dismissed in the District of Columbia Supreme Court here. The secretary has held that no part of the guarantee money can be paid until the railroads have made a final accounting for the period of federal control.

Alfred F. Thom, counsel for the railroad association, announced an appeal would be taken.

DEDHAM FILM MAN IS HELD BY COURT

Raymond L. Cleveland, head of the Third National Film Company of Dedham, was arraigned in Norfolk Superior Court on a charge of unlawful advertising. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $2,000 for trial in April. The prosecution charges Cleveland advertised stock in his company to deceive as the strength that he had bought the Nickerson estate, a $250,000 property.

DISABLED CAR BLOCKS INBOUND SUBWAY TRAFFIC

Inbound elevated service in the Park street subway was tied up for almost ten minutes today when a motor car broke down en the Arlington street entrance to the subway.

NORWALK MAYOR GIVES SALARY TO AID SICK

Norwalk, Ct., Jan. 4. — Mayor Jeremiah Donovan, for the third time, has turned over his salary as Mayor to a local hospital to aid those under treatment who are unable to pay for the same.

Who Found a Shoe on Bay State Road?

Who lost the brown shoe in Bay State road New Year's eve, and how?

Answer an advertisement appeared, requesting the return of one brown shoe marked "Pealer," lost probably in Bay State road December 31. The advertisement contained the telephone number of Guy Currier, the State street attorney, whose daughters have been prominent in society events.

The young woman who answered the Currier telephone said she had lost the shoe, but she could not tell who she was, now how it occurred, nor anything more about it, because she was sure if she did papa wouldn't like it.

MISSING BALLOONISTS LANDED HUNGRY AND FROSTBITTEN

DOG TEAMS RESCUE AVIATORS

Occupants of Navy Aircraft Start 500-Mile Journey Over Ice Fields to Civilization

By International News Service.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 4.—Headquarters of the Hudson Bay company here today reported that the three American naval balloonists, Lieutenants Walter Hinton, Stephen Farrell and A. M. Kinor, Jr., were severely frost bitten when they landed at Moose factory and had been out of provisions for several days.

They sustained themselves on concentrated food. The men landed safely several miles from Moose Factory. The manager of the Hudson Bay post immediately dispatched a dog team to their assistance, and they were brought to the post.

Another dog team driven by Indians was dispatched to the nearest telegraph station at Mattice on the Missinaibi River on the Canadian transcontinental railway.

The balloon in which the men made their flight was dismantled at Moose Factory and will be brought out in the spring on open water. The balloonists are bringing with them the records of their flight.

According to reports here the balloonists passed over Cochrane at midnight December 5 in a heavy snow storm and were seen by a railway telegrapher who reported they were then at very high altitude, but were displaying lights of red and green.

The party left Moose factory on December 11, but owing to heavy storms and deep snow are not expected to reach the railway until January 1. Four dog teams are being used to transport the balloonists with their records and equipment on the 160-mile journey across the snow.

CANDY AT NEWPORT IS CUT 25 PER CENT.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 4.—All kinds of candies, from the most expensive to the cheapest, were reduced 25 per cent. today. It is reported that a recent attempt to load up this market with sugar at a price too high to suit the public was not successful. Sugar drummers in large numbers invaded the town. Among them was a woman who, it was expected, might help the sales along. "You don't have to take it now," they said, "but sign this order and get the sugar later on."

ELEANOR FRANCKE TO WED HARVARD MAN

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Tappin of New York have announced the engagement of Mrs. Tappin's daughter, Miss Eleanor Huntington Francke, to C. Gould Rendell, the son of Joseph Rendell, a Boston stockbroker of No. 8 Congress street. Mr. Rendell will be graduated from Harvard with the class of 1921. Miss Francke is a great-granddaughter of the late Daniel Huntington, a distinguished portrait painter, and through her grandmother, Mrs. Charles H. Huntington, is related to the Washington Irving family.

MILLION ALLOWED ADOPTED GRANDSON

Washington, Jan. 4.—Charles Francke Torrance of St. Louis, who claimed a fourth interest in the $4,000,000 estate of the late Charles Torrance of Wilkesbarre, Pa., will get his fortune as a result of the refusal of the Supreme Court to review a decision of lower courts holding him to be the legal grandson of the testator.

A contest was started by other heirs, who appealed the lower court decision, claiming that the respondent, when an infant, was adopted from an orphan asylum. And was therefore barred under the will.

$4,087 JEWEL ROBBER SENTENCED TO 4 YEARS

James L. Muldoon, who is alleged to have stolen thousands of dollars' worth of jewelry from homes in Greater Boston while impersonating a telephone inspector, pleaded guilty to the larceny of $4,087 worth of jewelry from the home of Joseph O. Proctor, Jr., in Milton, in the Norfolk Superior Court in Dedham.

He was given from three to four years in state prison. Muldoon is also wanted in Cambridge, Newton and Brookline.

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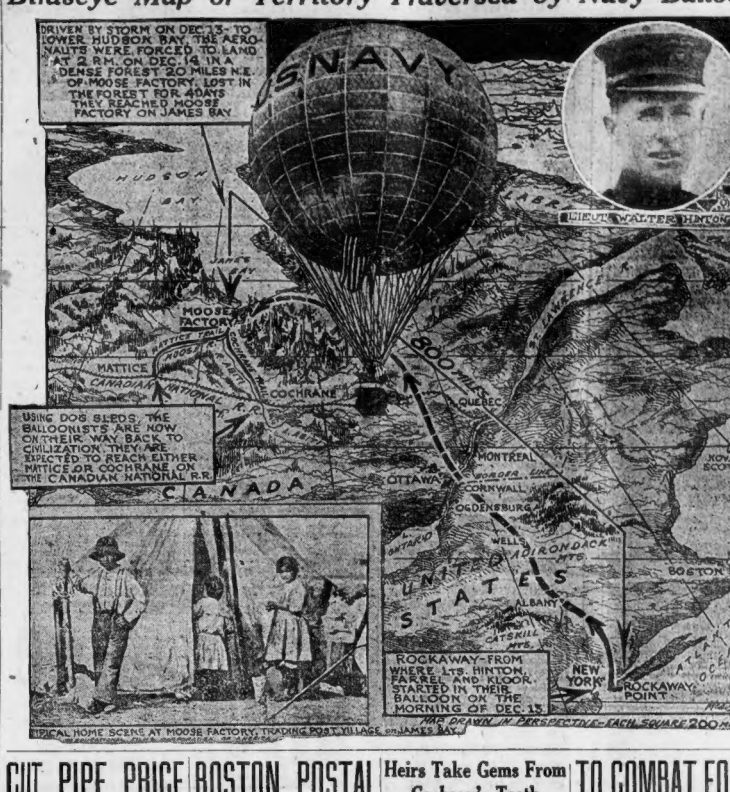
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MAP DRAWN IN PERSPECTIVE—EACH SQUARE 200 MILES

CUT PIPE PRICE $7 A TON

Jones & Laughlin, Big Independents, Announce Rock Bottom Quotation

By International News Service.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—Just before noon today the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, largest of the independents, announced a reduction in selling prices of pipe and other tubular products to the level of the Industrial Board prices established March 21, 1918.

This is an average reduction of $7 per ton on all classifications of pipe goods.

There are so many percentages, lengths, shapes and sizes that detailed quotations are not practical, it was stated.

The reduction brings all pipe prices to the level now quoted by the National Tube Company of the United States Steel Corporation.

It was stated that the prices are rock-bottom and there will be no further cuts.

The Republic Iron & Steel Company of Youngstown was the first break in pipe prices last week.

WILSON URGED TO ASK FRENCH TROOPS' RECALL

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Wilson is requested to communicate with France and the League of Nations seeking the withdrawal of French colonial troops from the occupied areas of Germany, "in the interest of future peace and humanity," under the terms of a resolution introduced in the House by Representative Britten of Illinois.

JUMPS FROM MOVING TRAIN AND ESCAPES

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 4.—John Jenkins, who was arrested in Middletown for the alleged larceny of $1,300 worth of jewelry in Bedford, Mass., escaped from the custody of a detective and jumped from a swiftly moving train while being brought from Middletown. A search was made of the wooded land which borders each side of the track, but the man was not to be found. Jenkins had been in Middletown a month conducting a grocery store.

TREMONT TEMPLE FIRE CAUSED BY CIGARETTE

A cigarette, carelessly thrown into a department store airshaft leading to the basement of Tremont Temple, resulted in the fire department being called to the building to discover the source of the smoke which was filling the basement of the Temple. The firemen traced the smoke to the airshaft and cleaned it out.

HONOR DEAD METHUEN OFFICIAL AT INAUGURAL

Methuen, Jan. 4.—A draped chair marked the place where the late City Councillor Edward Riley, buried today, would have sat at the inaugural exercises here.

The Methuen official died on the eve of his induction into office, to which he had been elected by one of the biggest majorities ever accorded an officeholder in this city.

BOSTON POSTAL BANK FIFTH

Enters Eleventh Year With High Standing; New Card to Swell Growth

With more than $4,000,000 deposited by 13,615 depositors, the Boston postal savings bank enters its eleventh year in fifth place on the list of postoffices throughout the country, according to an announcement made today.

The new card, which takes the place of the ten-cent postal savings card that has been in use since 1911, and carrying the assurance, printed in twenty-four languages, that the faith of the United States is pledged to the repayment of all deposits, promises to increase the amount of deposits as well as the number of depositors.

The bank is conducting a campaign among immigrants, each receiving as he lands a leaflet printed in his own language, setting forth the benefits of the savings system.

Patrons of the system, it is asserted, are drawn not from among those who patronize well-conducted banks, but from those who would not otherwise have placed their money in any banking institution.

MISS SHEA BRIDE OF RAYMOND D. HOLLAND

Miss Gegeviève C. Shea, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Shea, of No. 56 Norfolk street, Cambridge, and Raymond D. Holland of Brookline were married in St. Mary's Church, Cambridgeport, by Rev. Cornelius Holland of Woonsocket, an uncle of the groom. The bride was attended by Miss Winifred Garrity of Roxbury. Frederick Cosgrove of Brookline was best man.

PRESIDENT MURLIN OFF FOR HAVANA OPENING

President Lemuel H. Murlin has left for the Havana branch of the Boston University College of Business Administration to take part in the formal inauguration ceremonies of that department, which begins January 13. Director Leo D. O'Neil will be formally installed at that time.

Probe of "Russian" Embassy Asked

Washington, Jan. 4.—A resolution calling upon Secretary of the Treasury Houston to give the Senate all the information at his command as to the status of the so-called Russian Embassy, of which Boris Bakhmeteff is the head in Washington, was introduced by Senator Norris, Republican, of Nebraska.

Senator Norris is particularly anxious to ascertain how much money has been advanced to support Ambassador Bakhmeteff and his entourage who have not represented any government or even any faction in Russia since Kerensky was overthrown.

On December 28, the Universal Service presented facts to show that altogether $187,729,750 was advanced to the Kerensky government and the Bakhmeteff embassy was being supported in the greatest luxury out of the remaining portions of that vast sum.

Heirs Take Gems From Cochran's Teeth

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Heirs of "Diamond George" Cochran caused dentists to remove six diamond fillings from his mouth shortly before the body was taken to the grave. The stones are one and one-half carats each and very valuable.

"Diamond George" had the gems put in his mouth when she was famous as a sportsman. In those days he was the rival of "Diamond Jim" Brady.

A few years ago he "bit the Billy Sunday trail," and since then has been sartorially more restful to the eye.

When "Diamond George" was in his heyday he usually appeared wearing a five-carat stickpin, shirt studs of three carats each, half-carat diamonds in the buttons of his vest, a 10½-carat watch, the whole topped off by his "brilliant" smile, dazzling a mouth that fairly dazzled beholders.

WARRANT IS OUT FOR GIRL OF 16

Judge Hayden Hears Parents' Story of Missing Daughter in Roxbury Court

Judge Hayden in Roxbury Court today granted to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Keenan of No. 247 East Thirty-first street, New York, a warrant charging their daughter, Alice Betty Keenan, sixteen years old, with being a stubborn child.

The girl, according to the Keenans, is missing. She is described as five feet seven inches tall, with striking blonde hair and blue eyes. She wore a blue serge dress and a long red coat.

The parents told the court that some time ago she went to visit her two aunts, Mrs. Mary Keenan and Mrs. Goulston, who live at No. 40 Mount Pleasant avenue. She returned home just before Christmas, and left again last Thursday. Later they received a wire saying she had arrived in Boston.

Mrs. Keenan told them, the parents say, that the girl left her home a few days ago.

PROMINENT HAVERHILL ROOF CONTRACTOR DIES

Haverhill, Jan. 4.—James W. Wilson, one of the largest roofing contractors in New England, is dead at his home, No. 28 Webster street, after a brief illness, caused by ulcers of the stomach. Previous to his being taken ill on Christmas he had never been sick.

He was born in Jalashields, Scotland. In 1887 he came with his parents to this country and first resided in Amesbury, where he was employed by his brother. In the Spring of the year 1888 he came to this city. Besides his widow, Mrs. Ellen Wilson, Mr. Wilson is survived by three daughters, Mrs. E. E. Whipple, Miss Jessie Wilson, both of this city, and Mrs. Robert A. Nutter of Amesbury, and one son, Alexander Wilson.

TO COMBAT FOES OF JEWS HERE

500 at Meeting Which Decides to Fight Propaganda by Henry Ford

War on anti-Semitism was declared at a meeting of Anos Lodge, Independent Order of Real Brith, the largest Jewish organization in New England, Tuesday night in the City Club.

Amos Lodge pledged its members to fight the alleged propaganda of Henry Ford and to oppose present-day movements looking to the barring of Jewish immigrants from the United States.

The 500 present at the meeting went on record as in favor of laws making it criminal to slanderously and maliciously attack any racial or religious group. A legislative committee was named to frame laws along this line. These laws will be submitted to every State Legislature in New England.

In attacking attempts to restrict immigration speakers said that even now the high official positions recognized that they were aimed at Russian and Polish Jews.

Speakers included Henry Lasker of New London, Conn., Dr. Joseph Springfield, president of District No. 1, Independent Order Brai Brith; Rabbi Samuel Schulman of Temple Beth El, New York, and Isadore Hirshfield, commissioner of the Joint Distribution of Jewish War Relief.

BUICK DEALERS PRESENT H. K. NOYES WITH CLOCK

Harry K. Noyes, president of the Noyes-Buick Company, was overcome with emotion yesterday when J. P. Sullivan of New London, representing sixty Buick dealers, presented him with a massive clock for his new building. The beautiful clock, sitting inscribed, was presented to Mr. Noyes by the dealers as a mark of their appreciation for his wonderful co-operation and inspiration.

The Irving Caisson Davenport Company designed and built the clock. It took four months to complete. The inscription on the clock reads: "Progress, presented to H. K. Noyes by his dealers' organization."

The New England Buick dealers were represented by J. P. Sullivan of New London, J. S. Orr of New Bedford and C. F. Thatcher, Providence.

3-MONTHS BRIDE CLAIMS SHE WAS FORCED TO WED

Fall River, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Grace Watson, married last October, filed annulment proceedings against her husband, James C. Watson, of Norton, claiming that she was coerced into the union when he took her to New York where the ceremony was performed. She declares she was forced to return to Norton with him. He will contest her petition. She was Grace Emma Moulton, and now resides in Cambridge.

900 Resume Work

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 4.—The 900 employes in the West Albany shops of the New York Central railroad, who were suspended for an indefinite period on December 23, have resumed work.

WOMAN OF 36 IS OHIO JUDGE

Wins Her Place on Common Pleas Bench by Spectacular Vote

Cleveland, O., Jan. 4.—For the first time in the history of this, our country, a woman has locked friendly arms with the law and carried the standard of feminine progress up the pioneer trail of political achievement to the bench of general jurisdiction.

Her Honor is Florence E. Allen, now sitting in the Eleventh Judicial District Court of Common Pleas, County of Cuyahoga.

The court has the power and jurisdiction of the Superior Courts of Massachusetts.

And here, where her youth, talent and brilliant career are treasured as Cleveland's own, those who milled through corridors of the Criminal Courts building for a glimpse of what perhaps is the first court of its kind, told how the auburn-tressed, keen-eyed young Judge rolled up the most spectacular vote ever to astonish local politicians. Furthermore, and they said this with pride, she was not a "woman candidate."

The minute hand was on the hour when Judge Allen packed up her ledgers and forsook her private office for the room across the hall.

"I am going to prove that a woman can be prompt," she said with a twinkle.

She is a rather tall young woman of forceful personality, against the dark material of her severely tailored suit her chin looked babyish. It was pink; spectacles, not of the bone-rimmed variety, lend severity till the twinkle flashes through.

But the striking feature of this woman—who is said to be thirty-six, is her red gold hair. Brushed into a tight knot, it blazed against the dull green wall behind her as she sat on the bench.

Judge Allen took her new honors and duties matter-of-factly. Her friends believe that shortly she will come to be known as the "good-'em-up" jurist.

2,790 ARRESTED IN LAWRENCE IN YEAR

Lawrence, Jan. 4.—The city marshal's annual report to the council, stated that 2,790 arrests had been made in Lawrence during 1920. Of these 2,543 were men and 247 women. The chief offence was drunkenness.

2 Girls Prostrated by New Year's "Joke"

A grim New Year's "joke," in which a blood-spattered "corpse" figured, alleged to have been perpetrated by prominent rich Back Bay youths led by Gerald Dempsey of Commonwealth avenue and Joseph Collins, almost resulted in the death of two of the statuesque blonde show girls of "The Passing Show" at the Shubert Theatre.

As a result Miss Peggy Merrimend, who is a principal in the big Winter Garden production, is under a doctor's care at her home and her roommate, Miss Murray Lavone, has gone to a sanitarium near Providence.

Gerald Dempsey, who with Joseph Collins is alleged to have played the wild prank, lives at No. 153 Commonwealth avenue.

He declined to discuss the case, but said he had figured in a New Year's joke with Collins on Miss Merriment and her roommate.

GIRL'S OWN STORY.

Miss Merriment told the story of her experience as follows:

"Miss Lavone and myself had been motoring with Jerry Dempsey, the son of George Dempsey of No. 153 Commonwealth avenue, and his friend, Joe Collins. They left us at the hotel, and we saw them no more that night.

"I was awakened by a telephone bell in our room. The voice on the wire said that it was a reporter on the line, and to see us about 'the automobile accident.' I told him I had not been in any auto accident. The voice replied that Jerry and Collins had been killed in an accident just after leaving us. I almost fainted from fear. I was sent to the phone, and the voice told her the same story.

"You can imagine how we felt at this news. We were both hysterical and weeping, when the phone rang again. This time a voice said that it was Captain Goode of the Back Bay police speaking, and that an auto was waiting for us at the hotel. We were to come to the station house at once, he said, to identify the body.

"We dressed hurriedly, and got into the automobile when it came. Naturally we were in such a state we didn't notice where the car was going. I was afraid that I was taken to a residence in the Back Bay.

"There we were ushered into a room. I saw what looked like a body stretched out beneath a sheet. Two men were standing with their backs toward us. Miss Lavone screamed, and I fainted. I learned later that Miss Lavone did, too. When I came to I knew I opened my eyes to find bending anxiously over me the supposed dead body. It was still swathed in bandages, his face half hidden by a dark red liquid.

"Then I learned that to play a New Year's joke' Collins had bound himself in bandages and literally plastered him with ketchup. There had been no auto accident and neither of them injured. It was just a case of bandages and ketchup.

"It took physicians more than an hour to bring Miss Lavone and me and then we became hysterical. I was severely ill for a week and was sent back to our hotel. Miss Lavone's nerves were so shattered by the shock that she has gone to a Rhode Island sanitarium to recuperate.

"I was confined to my bed for some time and missed several performances. My nerves are still a bit shaky. The sight of a bottle of ketchup makes my heart sink."

$1,000 REWARD FOR COLLINS

New Bedford Mayor Proposes City Add $500 to Sum Now Offered for Finding Boy

New Bedford, Jan. 4.—Prospect of the increase of the reward to $1,000 caused a spirited renewal of the search for fifteen-year-old James F. Collins, Jr., who disappeared in the woods of Plainville near here on December 7.

Mayor Charles S. Ashley put the new figure before the city council this morning and he would ask the Board of Alderman to add $500 to the reward. This was backed by Alderman James F. Collins, father of the missing boy.

At the same time, the Mayor called for public pledges to reimburse Alderman Collins should the reward be claimed. Search for the Collins boy had begun to lag through failure to turn up definite clues despite the literal combing of the woods by thousands of volunteers.

Irish Mayor to Speak

Boston Unit, American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, will hold a meeting in Franklin Union Hall tomorrow night. Mayor Dennis Morgan of Parlin, Ire., will speak. Mrs. Frank C. Scanlan will preside.

WARRANT IS OUT FOR GIRL OF 16

Judge Hayden Hears Parents' Story of Missing Daughter in Roxbury Court

Judge Hayden in Roxbury Court today granted to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Keenan of No. 247 East Thirty-first street, New York, a warrant charging their daughter, Alice Betty Keenan, sixteen years old, with being a stubborn child.

The girl, according to the Keenans, is missing. She is described as five feet seven inches tall, with striking blonde hair and blue eyes. She wore a blue serge dress and a long red coat.

The parents told the court that some time ago she went to visit her two aunts, Mrs. Mary Keenan and Mrs. Goulston, who live at No. 40 Mount Pleasant avenue. She returned home just before Christmas, and left again last Thursday. Later they received a wire saying she had arrived in Boston.

Mrs. Keenan told them, the parents say, that the girl left her home a few days ago.

REVENUE MAN IN CUSTOMS THEFT

New Bedford Police Say Inspector Cotter Admits Part in Seized Liquor Steal

New Bedford, Jan. 4.—John J. Cotter, a revenue inspector, has confessed to being the third man involved in the robbery of whiskey stored in the Customs House, according to Chief of Police Doherty, who returned the alleged confession over to the Federal authorities.

Eugene H. Vien, owner, and James H. Griffin, proprietor of the Waverly House, were held in $5,000 bonds for a hearing Monday, the former on a charge of aiding and abetting, the latter of breaking and entering the Customs House at night with intent or larceny.

Postman McNamee, who caught Griffin dropping out of the Customs House window, has identified both Cotter and Vien as being in the automobile, to which several whiskey cases were removed and in which the two men escaped.

Three Slayings Before Manchester Court

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—The Hillsborough County Superior Court opened the January term in this city today with Judges Oliver W. Branch and William M. Sawyer presiding. Indictments are asked for first degree murder in two cases and for manslaughter in one more.

William J. Best will be charged with the murder of his wife in Milford on the night of December 9 by shooting with a shot gun in their home. Andrew Rheaume, a Canadian war veteran, will be charged with the shooting of Arthur Proulx, a fellow Canadian soldier, in an altercation in the rear of the City Hall on Armistice day, November 11. Robert Buckman of Gaffstown will be charged with attempted murder in being alleged that he shot Sylvanus Gilchrist, an aged man of that town, in his home on the night of September 15. Gilchrist walked nearly a mile after being shot and later recovered.

GRAYDON'S WIFE SEEKS DIVORCE

Second Marriage Venture of Famous Harvard Football Star Comes to End

Cupid once more has played a trick on Thomas K. Graydon, known on the days when he was star fullback for Harvard's football team as "Blondy Graydon," and called the best looking football player Harvard ever had.

His second wife, whom he married in 1911 after a sensational flight to Newport, by her attorney will be given to the Plymouth courts, charging her husband with "absolute, cruelty and drunkenness."

The petition alleges that "on repeated occasions" he has remained away from home without giving his young wife notice or his intention, and at times has absented himself for several days at a time.

It also asserted in the petition that after such absences he has returned home badly intoxicated and on such time "treated the plaintiff with cruelty and caused her to fear him," and compelled her to lock herself in her room to avoid his drunken assaults.

Mrs. Graydon also asserts that since December 1 she has been deserted by her husband, who has refused to provide for her or to pay the household bills. He has been absent since that day, and, though a wide search for him has been made by his wife and her father, no trace of him has been discovered.

She also asks the court to issue an order restraining him from any interest on her extensive realty holdings in and about Boston.

Graydon was hardly out of Harvard—he was graduated with the class of 1910—when he flashed into the limelight through his elopement with Helen Lord Whipple, daughter of a wealthy San Francisco capitalist.

At the time she was a student at Miss Ely's fashionable school in New York.

Because of her pranks there she was sent to a retreat maintained by Miss Ely at Sharon Springs. Graydon followed her there, raised a ladder to her window at night and fled in a high-powered automobile first to Philadelphia and then to New York, where they were married.

That marital trail lasted until 1916, although for a number of years prior to that date there were rumors of domestic strife.

Then Mrs. Graydon went back to her parents in San Francisco and established a divorce, charging non-support.

Immediately after leaving college Graydon inherited $25,000, and with that money started a shoe manufacturing business in Cincinnati, which has prospered.

JUSTICE COHALAN TO SPEAK HERE JANUARY 9

To inaugurate the local section of the nation-wide drive for funds for the relief of devastated Ireland, there will be a big mass meeting at Tremont Temple January 9. Justice Daniel F. Cohalan and Michael J. Ryan, members of the Irish committee which visited Paris, will speak. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Friends of Irish Freedom of Massachusetts.

Matthew Cummings is chairman of the local committee in charge of the meeting. Among those on the committee include, C. P. Collins, James Harold, Mrs. John Landis, Daniel J. Hallissey, Thomas M. A. Reynaud, Patrick J. Barry, Thomas A. Cummings, Dennis Collins, Mrs. McGinnis, Dennis Quinn, John Quinn, John Driscoll, M. J. Skinner, Frank Golden, Jeremiah Sullivan, Edward McCaffrey, William F. Dwyer, Philip J. Coleman, James Ryan, Marcy Holland, Mrs. J. O'Leary, Mrs. Fitzgerald, John Fleming, Patrick Gleason and Miss H. Wright.

3 KILLED, 7 WOUNDED IN GUATEMALA FIGHT

Washington, Jan. 4.—Three people were killed and seven wounded in an election fight at Quezaltenango, Guatemala City early New Year's day, the state department was advised today. Nearly 200 participated in the affray, and twenty-five arrests were made. Some of those arrested are leading Cabrera sympathizers, it is alleged.

BROTHER IS SEEKING CATHERINE SWEENEY

John Thomas White of Blackburn, England, has written to the Boston Herald for help in finding his sister, Mrs. Catherine Sweeney, of whom he has not heard for several years. She left England, it is thought, for Ireland in Lawsel and he believes that she is now living in that city or in some other Gaelic centre in New England.

St. Cecilia's Club to Act

The St. Cecilia's College Club, made up of students from the various girls' colleges in Greater Boston, will present Augustus Daly's comedy, "A Night Off," in Boston College High, James street, on January 27.

$2 HURT FIGHTING $10,000 FIRE

Score of Spectators Drenched by Water at Washington and Hanover Street Blaze

Two firemen were injured and the stock of the Wadsworth Howland Company, Nos. 82-84 Washington street, suffered a loss of $10,000 as a result of a fire which swept through the basement of the building, started by some undetermined cause.

Traffic on Washington and Hanover streets was blocked for more than half an hour, and a score or more spectators, who had gathered when the fire blaze, were drenched to the skin. The injured firemen, Larry Doyle of the Rescue Company, struck in the stomach by a hose which slipped from the grip of Joseph Cahill, a fellow of the same company, out on the hand by flying glass, were not seriously hurt.

MASSACHUSETTS GIVES $426,626 TO CHILDREN

The Massachusetts contributions to the European Children's Fund, of which Herbert Hoover is national chairman, was still considerably short of the half million dollar mark at the close of business on December 31, the total being $426,626.

Girl Wooer of Janitor to Wed Another

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Miss Helen Hagen, daughter of a janitor of No. 2711 James street, this city, who courted Hagen, Malone millionaire, in vain, is to marry a Boston man.

Miss Smith, who is divorced her first husband a year ago, has supposed to Hansen by mail when she learned that the millionaire's legacy reached her notice. But when Hansen failed to appear, Miss Smith is said to have decided she didn't care to accompany the janitor down the middle aisle.

Her picture had been sent far and wide as the prospective bride of the "millionaire janitor," and from all sections of the country proposals began to reach her. Only one appealed to her. It was from a Boston man, who is expected to arrive here today to claim her.

Besides the proposals, Miss Smith has a stack of letters from other women, begging her to turn over to them the names of the men whose marital offers she declined.

MAINE BRIDE IS GIVEN $1000

Mrs. Lota C. Seimmon Holds Second Place in "Loveliest Girl" Competition

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going to try. He told me it was a good idea and wished me luck and off came my photograph (my latest) from the ice cabin wall and away it went in the next mail.

WIRE FROM BOSTON.

"We saw other copies of the Boston American and appraised the pictures of contestants and had a lot of fun wondering if I would measure up to them, and Lawrence began to feel my chances were slim because we didn't know much about newspaper contests. Then, this week, came a telegram from the Boston American's correspondent at Houlton, asking for such particulars as my age, height, weight, color of eyes, hair, etc., which I promptly forwarded by telegraph.

"A few days later a second telegram came announcing that the judges had decided to view in person, in Boston, ten or twelve of the girls whose photographs had survived the final screening and I was startled to learn that I was among them.

"It was bitter cold, away below zero, and I had to tramp to the station on snowshoes and leave my husband the day before Christmas and make the long journey to Boston alone. Once there every attention was shown me and my every comfort looked after by the management of the Boston American and Manager Prior of the Hotel Lenox.

"The final session by Mr. Major's studio when we girl contestants met each other and the judge for the first time was thrilling. We all seemed so nervous. When I saw some of the others I didn't think I had the tiniest chance. I was sorry to think Lawrence and I had to be separated on our first Christmas, but it was the only way out and it has been all worth while—simply wonderful, too wonderful for words!"

LONELY CHRISTMAS.

"I never spent a more lonely Christmas in my life," said Dr. Seimmon, picking up the thread of their story. "I never experienced colder weather. It was more than 30 below. I kept the logs piled high in the open fireplace and sat watching them and the wild waves for a long time, thinking of Lota and how she was faring on her journey and how her adventure would turn out. Then I got blue and shivery and decided to turn in.

"I pulled on two sweaters, a couple of pairs of woolen socks, tucked in a hot water bag, piled on all the spare garments of my own and wife's, until the bed looked like a camel, and was on the verge of slumber when the logs in the walls crackled with a roar that caused me to grab my rifle. I soon discovered that it was caused by the intense cold and I fell into a troubled sleep. Christmas sure was a drab day for me.

"I was attending a maternity case the day Lota left. That's why I didn't accompany her. I had to travel twelve miles on snowshoes to reach my patient, making a round trip of about twenty-five miles, and I thought I'd turn into an icicle before I got back. I am not used yet to the rigors of your New England Winters. I am fond of Boston and New England. I was born in Lyons, France.

"REGULAR GOLD MINE."

"As soon as my patient's condition permitted I left for Boston and I was proud when Lota told me she had won second prize. She's a regular gold mine for looks. Every time she speaks or turns I discover a new charm. I knew that, but I didn't think strange judges would see it, but they did. The management of the Boston American and Mr. Prior of the Hotel Lenox and everybody here have been most kind. I find myself wondering if I am awake. It is all very sudden and strange.

"But she was our marriage. Talk about fiction. Got it beat, our case has. Received my medical degree at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore in 1917. I met Lota in Montgomery, Ala. She was attached to the Red Cross doing war work, and so was I. We saw a great deal of each other, and I became very fond of her, but didn't dare broach the subject of marriage, just starting out in the medical profession.

"Later I went to New York and had an obscure office in Thirteenth street. One evening I received an emergency call to a hotel, and you can imagine my surprise to find that Lota Cheek, my friend from Alabama, was the patient. She had been taken suddenly ill, and before she recovered we were engaged, and she went before Thanksgiving last we were married.

"I decided to start practice in some small community in Northern Maine close to the border, and eventually to establish a rest cure lodge. That is our dream. The climate there is wonderful, far more beneficial than many much-touted fashionable health resorts. But all that will take time and money and patience."

"GIVES US A START."

"And this $1,000 falling from skies gives us the very start we desired," interrupted Mrs. Seimmon snuggling closely to her bejish husband. "Lawrence has been doing emergency work for a lumber company and working for small pay in a sawmill until he builds up his practice. Houses are few. It is a tiny but most interesting community.

"The people of Portage have been most kind to us. They have shattered my Southern notions about New England aloofness. Why, we had scarcely arrived at our cute little log cabin before neighbors began to arrive with good things and with vegetables and venison, and they brought skins for the floor and walls and our little nest looks like a stage setting instead of a real cabin.

"We can scarcely realize that it is our home. We have had a most delightful honeymoon. It has been ideal in such rough, picturesque surroundings. We have grown to love it and the good people of Portage.

"And the first things we are going to buy out of my $1,000 prize are a surgical kit for Lawrence and a cheap horse and rig, so he will not have to tramp so far to patients, and, besides, speed is essential in many cases. I often go with him on night visits to keep him company. An old horse would increase his efficiency as a country doctor and surgeon, wouldn't it, Lawrence? We shall never forget the entry of the year 1921 or the Boston American."

RARE CHARM AND VIVACITY.

Mrs. Seimmon has a graceful build. She is 5 feet 7 inches in height, weighs 130 and is unusually graceful. She has large, dark blue eyes, light brown hair and a fair complexion. At first glance her facial beauty was not so striking as that of several of her rivals, but study disclosed rare charm and vivacity in which intelligence was a dominant factor.

Mrs. Seimmon has a fine profile, and in spite of the girlish sweetness of her features, her face and head reflect strength and determination and deep character. She has a fascinating personality, a soft Southern voice, a quick mind, as the judges discovered in questioning her, and a radiant expression.

Her dainty attire, frank, natural manner, coupled with her loveliness and her education and willingness to share her husband's struggles and ambitions in a lonely lumber camp community, gave her a high scoring.

Mrs. Seimmon's maiden name was Lota B. Cheek. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Cheek. Her parents are dead. Her father owned a large plantation. Her grandfather, Jee Baker of Dothan, Ala., was wealthy and prominent. His son, Joe Baker, Jr., is Mayor of Dothan. Mrs. Seimmon lived for a time with an older sister, Mrs. Ruth E. White, in Indianapolis, Ind.

While in New York, shortly before her marriage, Mrs. Seimmon was introduced to a prominent motion picture producer, who made her a flattering offer. He said he saw in her a promising type, but she refused it. **"I preferred my doctor and our log cabin to motion picture fame," said Mrs. Seimmon, casting sidelong glances of frank admiration at the proud young Frenchman who squeezed her hand warmly in appreciation.**

"That $1,000 in gold makes some of our air castles look awfully near and real, Lawrence," she continued. "He has already selected his new surgical kit. I went with him, and now for a bob-tailed horse and pung."

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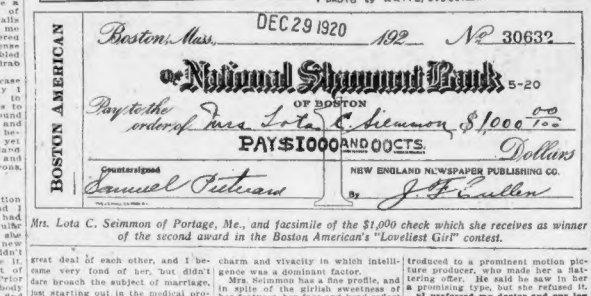
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ROBBERS BEAT MALDEN WIDOW

Woman 60 Years Old Attacked in Home Suffers Shock After Struggle

Mrs. Jeremiah Crowley, a widow, of No. 41 Fellaway, East Malden, was attacked by two youthful robbers, whom she surprised in the dining room of her home, and in the course of a furious struggle with the pair received a severe gash in the arm caused by a broken window.

Mrs. Crowley's screams attracted the attention of neighbors who rushed to her aid, but the robbers had escaped from the front door unseen under cover of darkness.

Despite her sixty years, Mrs. Crowley gave the robbers a lively tussle until felled by a blow on the head by a piece of hard rubber. Besides the gash on her arm and contusions of the head she suffered a severe nervous shock.

While working on the upper floor of her home she heard a noise in the dining room and on entering the room found one youth hidden behind a table and another back of a chair. Both sprang at her, she said, but she managed to fight them off for a moment. In the struggle one of her arms was thrust through a window, inflicting a severe cut. One of the pair then struck her over the head, she told the police.

Although badly dazed she had presence of mind enough to scream. It is believed that they entered her home by way of an open bay window.

URGES EXTENSION OF FARM LAND BONDS

Washington, Jan. 4.—The proposal to extend for a period of five years the farm land bonds which mature in May, 1923, was considered today by the House Banking and Currency Committee. These bonds aggregate $340,000,000. The proposition was presented by Charles R. Lobdell, farm loan commissioner, who urged that under the present and probable financial conditions the retirement of the bonds at the date of their maturity would withdraw so much money from industry as to seriously impair the ability of the banks to care for the needs.

ROXBURY SCHOOL CENTRE TO GIVE MOVIE SHOW

A free motion picture entertainment, "The Shepherd of the Hills," will be given Wednesday night at the Roxbury School Centre. Friday evening Miss Marie Ware Laughton will present a musical and dramatic program free to the public. Children will be admitted to this, if accompanied by adults.

FULL QUOTA STOPS NAVY RECRUITING

Recruiting for the navy has been temporarily suspended, it was learned here today. The navy is at its maximum strength of 132,000 men. New enlistments are prohibited. Only reenlistments of men being discharged will be permitted.

GIRL WHO ELOPED YEAR AGO RETURNS

Mineola, L. I., Jan. 4.—Gladys Voorhis, aged seventeen, who eloped a year ago with Frank DeMott, said to be married and the father of three children, has been returned to her home at Roosevelt, L. I., by a deputy sheriff, who found her with De Mott at a house in New York. De Mott is in jail.

Blue Lobster Dispute Settled by Expert

Science, which never "nature fakes," says the much discussed blue lobster is a fact.

So ends a debate which has been raging for some days, ever since an item appeared in this newspaper telling of a New York doctor who found one at Ogunquit, Me.

Until today letters bearing on the subject were from laymen, but one published below is from Walter H. Chute of the Marine Park Aquarium of the Park and Recreation Department.

Mr. Chute pretty thoroughly winds up the argument by quoting not only from his own experience but from other authorities. His letter follows:

Editor Boston American:

The writer has been interested in the statements published in the Boston American in regard to blue lobsters. There was a blue lobster on exhibition at the Boston Aquarium from August 18 to August 19. This specimen was procured at Wood's Hole through the courtesy of the United States Fisheries Bureau, but unfortunately did not survive the change of surroundings.

BEAUTIFUL ELECTRIC BLUE.

The entire upper surface of its shell was a beautiful electric blue and the under parts cream color. The government collector at Wood's Hole tells me that of all the thousands of lobsters caught in that section annually only an average of three or four are blue.

Professor Francis Hobart Herrick in "The Natural History of the American Lobster," published by the Fisheries Bureau in 1909, says that besides the common mottled variety, four color variations are met with—blue, red, cream-colored and occasionally black.

The Boston Aquarium hopes to have another blue lobster in its collection this coming Summer.

Very truly yours,

WALTER H. CHUTE,
Park and Recreation Department, Aquarium, Marine Park.

Here are other letters:

Editor Boston American:

Referring to your item in the evening edition of the 28th relative to blue lobsters, the physician is certainly right, as I saw one at Wood's Hole last Fall and it was certainly a novelty. The description you gave was perfect. It was the subject of conversation and I was told that once in a while blue lobsters were eatable. The one I saw was hard shelled, like any other lobster.

HARRIE S. WOOD,
Traveling freight agent, New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

HALF RED AND HALF BLUE.

Editor Boston American:

About twenty years ago, before I engaged in lobster fishery, I bought a lobster from a local fishman named Ben Swett, which was half red and half blue. The entire right side was red and the left side blue. The colors joined exactly in the middle. This lobster was alive, but only lived two days as the weather was very cold. This can be testified to by many witnesses.

J. S. WUTHUM,
No. 18 Stacey street, Marblehead.

Editor Boston American:

I saw the item in your paper about the New York doctor who saw a blue lobster. I saw one about thirty years ago on Pennequid Beach, Me. A man named Conrad Lewis caught it. He gave it to a Mr. Cartlain, who put it in a show case and charged 10 cents admission to see it. W. S. GETER,
Cascade, N. H.

'MEXICO DOES NOT WANT ANY MORE BOLSHEVIKS'

Washington, Jan. 4.—"The Mexican secretary of the interior upon being questioned whether the government would permit the entrance into Mexico of Bolsheviks now being expelled from the United States, replied that the government does not wish any more Bolsheviks than those now said to be in Mexico," declares a statement issued by the Mexical official agency here today.

"WET" HOLIDAY FOR 121 MEN AND 15 WOMEN

The new year opened "wet" for many Boston citizens, according to the records of Municipal Court. Over the holiday 115 men and 13 women were arrested for drunkenness, of which number, however, only 47 men and eight women were held for the Court. The others were discharged on sobering up.

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HOLDEN QUITS DEER ISLAND

Deputy Master Resigns Without Giving Reason, Following O'Keefe's Return

George W. Holden, deputy master and clerk, is the latest of the Deer Island officers to leave the House of Correction. Holden resigned without giving a reason, according to Institutions Commissioner Thomas C. O'Brien.

Holden is the second deputy to go. Edward C. O'Keefe preceded him, although the latter was later restored to his status and is now on a long leave of absence without pay. O'Keefe and Holden were at odds, it is said, which led to the latter being demoted recently from the rank of acting master.

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Arthur Doyle.

One of the three most startling photographs of materialized spirits ever published—in
HEARST'S for JANUARY

How to Advertise for Enemies
Walt Mason

"The vandals will be branding advertisements on wild animals in parks and forest reserves. Could anything more brutalizing come upon a grimly bear branded with Bulger's pills for ingrowing nails? Frank advertisers have no respect for beauties of nature or rights of man."

In HEARST'S for JANUARY

Is Cuba West of Pittsburgh?
Science of the Month

Do Northerners come from the South of sunny Italy? Why does a red rose blush? Did the world originate in guess from Genesis? Do stars reduce the cost of living? Poison in our daily bread—is one man's food another's poison? And 9 other progressive articles in current science.

In HEARST'S for JANUARY

The Communist and the Cow — *By Gilbert E. Chesterton*
Paul Goes to Greendale — *By Virginia Terhune Van de Water*
Children of the Whirlwind — *By Leroy Scott*
Star Fish and Sea Lavendar — *By E. M. Benson*
The Master of Man — *By Hall Caine*
Gold from the Golden Rule — *By B. C. Forbes*
The Fisherman's Christmas — *By Johan Bojer*
Three Daughters of Cadriano — *By W. L. George*
The Suicide of States — *By Guglielmo Ferrero*
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JANUARY ISSUE

Hearst's

A Magazine with a Mission

JUST OUT

BOSTON 'TO TELL THE WORLD'

Bigger, Busier City, Is Prospect Through Magic of $200,000 Worth of Printers' Ink

To place Boston's supremacy as a port, her commercial and manufacturing advantages before the whole world—

That is the purpose of an order unanimously passed by the City Council and now up to Mayor Peters for final action.

Boston is lagging behind, according to City Councillor Edward F. McLaughlin, author of the order, and all because its natural advantages possessed by no other city of its size in the country have not been given sufficient prominence.

TO BE "BIGGER, BETTER, BUSIER."

It is ex-Mayor Fitzgerald's "Bigger, Better, Busier Boston" idea in new swatting and with substantial financial backing to push it through.

To further the industrial commercial and port development of the city it is proposed that the city appropriate $100,000 and interested organizations raise a like sum to attract capital and new industries here.

Various plans proposed by the city planning board and other organizations for the expansion of the city and which perished more for lack of initiative than money are to be revived.

Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, the Boston Real Estate Exchange and other organizations are to be welded into a permanent board or commission intended to forge Boston years ahead in its development.

And the results are expected to be attained through "the power of printers' ink"—knowing Boston's supremacy and telling the world about it.

Boston merchants too often turn to New York as a criterion of what a city should be and devote too little attention to making Boston what it should be, according to Councillor McLaughlin.

Among the unadvertised advantages which Boston possesses to attract capital and new industries, Councillor McLaughlin sets forth that Boston is second as a port to New York.

FIRST IN FISH AND WOOL.

This city is first as a fish and wool centre.

It has more parks per acre than any city of its size in the country, and stands as a lower tax rate than three of the five cities nearest this city in size.

"Have faith in Boston" is the slogan by which Councillor McLaughlin expects to attain these ends.

If the merchants and people of Boston have faith in it, the city will get the recognition it deserves.

HAVERHILL GREEKS PROTEST POLICE WATCH

Haverhill, Jan. 4.—Local Greeks are aroused over the action of Chief Marshal Alden M. Worcester in sending a squad of uniformed and plain-clothes-officers to attend a meeting in the Greek church and a protest has been sent to the municipal council signed by Anthony Rallis, president of the Greek Orthodox community. The protest denounces the marshal, claiming that he failed to do his duty and that he should have investigated the meeting in person before sending the officers to frighten the women and children.

City Marshal Worcester says he received a tip that there was likely to be a clash between followers of Venizelos and King Constantine and consequently sent the officers to preserve order.

10,000 HAVERHILL SHOE WORKERS ARE JOBLESS

Haverhill, Jan. 4.—With orders coming in slowly, several shoe manufacturers put cutters to work while others who have been employing shoe workers laid them off indefinitely after New Year's.

Less than a third of the shoe factories in the city are in operation and it is estimated that 10,000 shoe workers are idle. There is little prospect of steady employment for months, the manufacturers say. The Groveland mills started up after the holiday with 200 operatives accepting the first cut down in wages in forty years. It is stated that the reduction amounts to 22½ per cent.

K. C. OPENS SCHOOL FOR WAR VETERANS

New York, Jan. 4.—Registration for a school exclusively for former service men opened here when the Knights of Columbus have added an augmented teaching staff and equipment to care for all applicants among ex-service men. More than fifteen trades will be taught free by the Knights at this school, including telegraphy, bookkeeping, automechanics, draughtsmanship, plumbing, radiotelegraphy, etc.

HELD IN $3,000 BAIL ON CHARGE OF ARSON

Lawrence, Jan. 4.—Charged with arson in setting fire to the premises at No. 42 Haverhill street, John Posnickas, a storekeeper, was bound over to the grand jury in $3,000 bail. The police charge that he had secured $30,000 insurance a short time before the fire, which did not cover the cost of the building in their sight clothing. The defendant had been harassed by creditors, the police allege.

GIRL HELD AS AID OF PRISON BREAKER

Adams, Jan. 4.—On the charge of being an accessory to the escape from Pittsfield jail of Elmer Whitten, who shot Policeman Charles Daniels, Miss Ruth Lee Fiero, who went through a marriage ceremony with Whitten, although the latter had a wife from whom he was not divorced, was ordered bound over by the local court to the grand jury with bail at $600.

HAWAIIAN LOADING CARGO FOR HAMBURG

The American steamship Hawaiian, which is to inaugurate the service of the United American Lines from Boston to Hamburg, is loading cargo at the Commonwealth pier. She will sail January 8. The Hawaiian will be followed by the Oregonian, which will sail January 22.

HONORED

JOHN SHEPARD, JR.

BOSTON MEN NAMED TO INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER

Washington, Jan. 4.—American participation in the International Chamber of Commerce became fully organized today with the appointment of an American committee composed of fifty-seven of the leading business men of the country. The chairman of the committee is A. C. Bedford, chairman of the board, of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey.

Two members are from Boston. They are John H. Fahey, president John H. Fahey & Co., and Edward A. Filene, president William Filene's Sons Co.

The International Chamber was created at Paris last June. Appointment of the American committee completes the form of organization for the American section.

ADMIRAL GRESSICH NOW HEADS FIUME REGENCY

London, Jan. 4.—Admiral Gressich has been appointed president of the Fiume regency, said a dispatch from Trieste today. The city is quiet.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MERCHANT

Celebration in Honor of John Shepard, Jr., at Colonial Restaurant

The birthday party to John Shepard, Jr., at the Colonial Restaurant last night was a gay and glittering success.

Guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Shepard on the seventh floor, which was beautifully decorated.

A jazz orchestra played for dancing and tables were placed for those who preferred cards.

Supper was served shortly before midnight on the eighth floor. The tables were arranged in honor of Mr. Shepard to form the letters J. S., Jr. An orchestra played for singing and dancing. Then the bullet

Supper

Hors d'Oeuvres Rome
Celery Almonds Queen Olives
Tartares Sauce a l'Ancestlado
Sauce Bleu, Colonial
Cheese Fingers au Parmesan

Fish Potatoes Gaufrettes

Clare Surprise Cafe Turque
Mousi Aiscu Ginger Champagne
Mount Eircon Sterling Water
Cigars
Shepheard's Hotel, Cairo Cigarettes
Rose de Sachets

Monday, January 3, 1921.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bogart, Miss Bogart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. George Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. James Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Deland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farmer, Mr. Harold P. Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hamilton, Dr. A. J. A. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hovey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, Mr. Elmer Hove and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Johnson, Mr. Litenfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marden, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitton, Mr. Roger Nesbit, Mr. Samuel Reed, Mrs. McIntire, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard, 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Beatty Stevens, General and Mrs. LeRoy Sweetser, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Sterne, Mr. G. R. Sweet, Mr. A. Shepard Titcomb, Mrs. Jessie T. Titcomb, Judge Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Woodin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles White, Mr. F. A. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Widener.

CLOSE CALL FOR PATROLMAN

Officer Escaped Death When Bullet Ploughs Through Door Near His Head

Taunton, Jan. 4.—Patrolman Michael J. O'Keefe of the local police had a narrow escape from death today when a bullet ploughed through the wooden panel of a door in the house at No. 6 Herron avenue. The bullet passed through the door half an inch above his head.

O'Keefe, with a warrant charging John Dake with assault and battery on Mary Thomas, went to the house to make the arrest. Before he started for the house O'Keefe was warned to be careful.

He demanded admittance, stating he was a police officer. Receiving no response he went to the rear, and had hardly mounted the steps when a shot rang out. Then the bullet ploughed through the door.

From a neighboring house he notified police headquarters and a squad of officers were sent to his assistance. They went through the house and found Antone Oaka, a brother of the wanted man. A loaded revolver was in his pocket.

He told the police he fired the shot but said he had done it as he feared the police and not as was a policeman was at the door. In court he pleaded guilty and a continuance until tomorrow was granted.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results. Millions of boxes are sold annually at 15c and 30c.—Advertisement.

ACCUSES CONTRACTOR OF CRUEL TREATMENT

Pittsfield, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Addie B. Germain has filed an attachment of $10,000 on the property of her husband, John F. Germain, prominent Pittsfield building contractor, in a suit for separate support, filed in Probate Court, in which cruel and abusive treatment is alleged.

Workers Offered Steel at $1

New York, Jan. 4.—The United States Steel Corporation announced it will allow those employes who wish to purchase stock in the corporation to subscribe to the issue at $81 a share.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza Take Grove's LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.—Advt.

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Birthday Sale

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Each Day of the Sale We Shall Offer About

260 New Fresh Bargain Lots

Making a Total for the Three Weeks of a Larger Number of Values Than We Have Ever Offered in Any Previous Year

Watch the Boston Week-Day Papers, as each day there will be announced a Bulletin of new and different values.

Each and every day—even the last one—the bargains will be just as extraordinary and the stock of these bargains just as complete as on the first day of the sale. And bear in mind that BIRTHDAY BARGAINS ARE PRACTICALLY ALL NEW GOODS AT MARKED DOWN PRICES

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ALL Purchases, including House Furnishings, without any restrictions whatever, will be delivered FREE anywhere in Massachusetts.

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Our 70th Birthday Sale

Bulletin of Bargains on Sale Wednesday

Birthday Sale Prices are never equalled even by ourselves except during this famous January event

Women's New Serge and Crepe de Chine Dresses. Formerly 34.50 to 75.00 ..... 24.90

Women's New Brown and Black Lace Evening Gowns. Formerly 60.00 ..... 35.90

Women's New Taffeta Afternoon Gowns, with vestal sheer. Formerly 45.00 ..... 29.90

Women's Chiffon Velvet Afternoon and Evening Gowns, one of a kind. Formerly 45.00 to 85.00 ..... 34.90

Women's Velour Coats, dressy belts, and model. Formerly 50.00 ..... 29.90

Women's Ballvin Coats, full silk lined. Formerly 65.00 ..... 45.00

Women's Ballvin Coats and Wraps, one of a kind. Formerly 150.00 to 200.00 ..... 95.00

Women's Ballvin Wraps, mountain collar and cuffs. Formerly 85.00 ..... 49.90

Women's Robberlord Raincoats. Formerly 18.50 and 20.00 ..... 12.50

Women's Georgette Blouses, white and flesh. Formerly 42.50 to 48.00 ..... 27.50

50 Women's Heavy Quality Georgette Blouses, white and flesh. Formerly 12.50 ..... 7.90

Women's Georgette Blouses, in flesh, white and navy shades. Formerly 10.00 ..... 6.90

Women's High-grade Georgette Blouses, suit shades only. Formerly 12.50 ..... 7.90

Women's High-grade Georgette Blouses, in white and flesh. Formerly 15.00 ..... 9.90

Women's High-grade Georgette Blouses, in white and flesh. Formerly 18.50 ..... 11.90

Women's Crepe de Chine Blouses, white and flesh. Formerly 5.98 ..... 3.85

Women's Georgette Blouses, white and flesh. Formerly 7.98 ..... 4.85

Women's Satin Breakfast Coats, in navy color, trimmed with ruffles. Formerly 12.50 ..... 7.90

Women's Taffeta and Satin Breakfast Coats, in black and colors. Formerly 18.00 to 21.00 ..... 12.90

Women's Imported Albatross Robes, embroidered. Formerly 30.00 to 35.00 ..... 19.90

Women's Crepe de Chine Negligees, assorted styles and colors. Formerly 12.50 and 15.00 ..... 8.75

Women's Corduroy Breakfast Coats, in all bouloir colors. Formerly 7.50 ..... 4.50

Women's Elderdown Robes, prettily trimmed with satin and silk frogs. Formerly 10.00 ..... 6.00

Women's Japanese Boudoir Slippers, in many colors. Formerly 3.50 and 4.00 ..... 2.50

Women's Boots, black and tan, variety of styles. Formerly 14.00 to 16.00 ..... 10.45

Women's Pumps, in black and white leather, and white satin. Formerly 12.00 to 15.00 ..... 7.45

Women's Strap Suede Gauntlet Gloves. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.85

Women's 8-Clasp Kid Gloves, white and black stitching. Formerly 7.50 ..... 4.25

Women's Fur Gloves. Formerly 1.00 to 10.50 ..... 1.00 to 4.90

Women's Fleece-Lined Gauntlet Gloves. Formerly 6.00 ..... 4.90

Men's Fleece-Lined Gauntlet Gloves. Formerly 6.00 ..... 4.90

Boys' Fur-Lined Mocha Gloves. Formerly 5.00 ..... 3.50

Women's Swiss Union Suits, former-ly 7.50 to 8.98 ..... 4.98

Women's Silk Top Union Suits, pink. Formerly 5.00 ..... 3.45

Women's Mercerized Union Suits, low neck, cuff knee. Formerly 3.50 ..... 1.98

Women's Cotton Union Suits. Formerly 1.00 and 1.25 ..... 89c

Women's Swiss Vests, sateen-ed. Formerly 3.50 to 4.00 ..... 2.90

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests and Bodices, pink. Formerly 1.00 ..... 2.19

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, several styles. Formerly 1.25 to 1.50 ..... 98c

39 and 40-inch Colored and Black Chiffon Velvets. Formerly 4.50 ..... 3.50

50 Inch Novelty Crepe Georgette Suiting. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.90

Foreign Novelty Silks. Formerly 12.00 to 15.00 ..... 8.90

Self-Colored Brocha Crepe. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.90

60-Inch Black Charmeuse. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.90

Black Messaline, yard wide. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.90

Misses' Velour Suits. Formerly 45.00 ..... 29.90

Misses' Suits, with fur collar. Formerly 39.50 ..... 29.90

Misses' Suits, with fur collar. Formerly 45.00 ..... 34.90

Misses' Suits, velour de laine. Formerly 39.50 ..... 29.90

Children's Colored Coats, box and belted models, sizes 2 to 6 years. Formerly 14.50 ..... 9.75

Children's Colored Coats, flare and box models, broadcloth, velvet and silvertone, sizes 2 to 6 years. Formerly 24.00 ..... 16.75

Infants' Circular Capes, hand-made and embroidered spray. Formerly 8.75 ..... 5.90

Babies' Knit Helmets, in white hand knitted, silk and wool. Formerly 3.00 ..... 1.75

Ladies' Fancy Silk and Velvet Hosiery. Formerly 4.00 and 4.50 ..... 2.90

Babies' Silk and Corduroy Hats. Formerly 4.50 and 5.00 ..... 2.90

Children's Colored Hats, imported and domestic. Formerly 10.00 to 12.00 ..... 6.75

Children's Two-Piece Wool Middy Dresses, 4, 5 and 6 yrs. Formerly 8.50 ..... 5.90

Children's Rompers, in poplin, chambray and seersucker, in white and colored, sizes 1 to 4. Formerly 2.25 ..... 1.50

Boys' Suits, Oliver style, in fine poplin, and plain, and embroidered. Formerly 9.75 ..... 6.90

Little Boys' White Oliver and Middy Suits, cotton and navy cellar. Formerly 7.50 and 8.50 ..... 4.90

Children's Colored Rompers Dresses, in plain and fancy materials. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.50

Children's Colored Bloomer Dresses, in plain and fancy materials. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.50

1 Infant's Imported Dress. Formerly 190.00 ..... 90.00

1 Infant's Imported Dress. Formerly 70.00 ..... 39.50

3 Infants' Imported Dresses. Formerly 48.00 ..... 29.50

4 Infants' Imported Dresses. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

27 Infants' Imported Dresses. Formerly 35.00 ..... 15.90

Dainty and Crepe Colored Dressing Sacques, hand trimmed and hand smocked. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.69

Children's Fine Check Organdie Dresses. Formerly 6.00 ..... 4.90

Infants' Long Dresses, hand made and embroidered. Formerly 6.50 to 8.50 ..... 4.90

Stamped Sunbonnets, Crown Dresses. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Stamped White Linen Centerpieces, 36 inch. Formerly 2.75 ..... 2.25

Stamped Scarfs, Dark Gauzed Towels. Formerly 50c 39c

Stamped White Table Scarfs, 11x44. Formerly 75c 59c

Hemstitched Silk Pillows, round shape. Formerly 2.50 ..... 2.39

Stenciled Luncheon Sets. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.25

Silk Floss Pillows, 11x24. Formerly 1.00 ..... 65c

Silk Floss Pillows, 20 inches round. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.90

Stamped Tubing Pillow Cases. Formerly 1.25. Per pair 89c

Pure Linen Pattern Table Cloths, bleached. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.98

Pure Linen Table Cloths, 62x62 inches. Formerly 1.00 ..... 79c

Pure Linen Table Cloth, 72x72 ins. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.90

Heavy Linen Table Cloths, 72x84 ins. Formerly 10.75 ..... 7.75

72-Inch Satin Finish Mercerized Table Damask. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.69

Pure Linen Bleached Napkins. Formerly 1.00 ..... 79c

Mercerized Napkins, 20 in. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.98

Bleached Hemstitched Heavy Union Linen Sheets, size 72x108 ins. Formerly 3.98 ..... 2.98

Fine Quality Pure Linen Huck Towels. Formerly 1.00 ..... 79c

Turkish Bath Towels. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Turkish Bath Towels. Formerly 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00 ..... 1.25

Union Crash, bleached. Formerly 25c 19c

Fine Washed Crash, pure linen. Formerly 45c 29c

Fine Fancy Typed Glass Towels. Formerly 75c 59c

13-Piece Fine Madeira Luncheon Sets. Formerly 12.50 ..... 9.90

9-Ch the 70-Inch Fine Linen Cutwork and Embroidered Cloths. Formerly 60.00 ..... 35.90

Girls' Corer Fur Hats, pole styles, with quiz-shaped or tam. Formerly 7.00 to 7.50 ..... 4.90

Girls' Velour Hats, poke and roller brim, with ostrich trimmings. Formerly 10.00 ..... 6.90

Misses' Fancy Hats, in some fur trimmed. Formerly 10.00 to 12.00 ..... 6.90

Men's Pongee Shirts. Formerly 6.00 ..... 4.35

Men's Japanese Crepe Shirts. Formerly 5.00 ..... 3.90

Men's Silk Ties. Formerly 65c to 1.00 ..... 39c

Men's Silk Ties. Formerly 1.50 and 2.00 ..... 1.00

Men's Knitted Silk Ties. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.00

Men's Detached Cuff Shirts, striped and fancy madras. Formerly 3.45 ..... 2.45

Men's Raccoon Coats, wool lined. Formerly 150.00 to 165.00 ..... 98.00

Men's Marmot Lined Coats, either belted or plain back. Formerly 125.00 ..... 79.00

Men's Wombat Coats, wool lined. Formerly 125.00 ..... 79.00

Men's Imported Ulsters. Formerly 45.00 ..... 29.90

Men's Sheen Linen Coats, wombat collar. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

50-In. Printed Sateens, finest quality. Formerly 1.00 to 1.25 ..... 69c

50-In. Plain Sateen, all colors and black. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

36-In. Printed Lining Satins. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Fine Cambrics, 36 inches wide. Edgings, 14 and 15-inch, butterfly corner and insertions. Formerly 25c ..... 19c to 25c each

Embroidered Net Lace Flounces, 11 inches deep, white and ecru. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Infants' Flouncing, a yard wide. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.90

Hand-Made Filet Edges and Insertions, 1 to 2 inches wide. Formerly a yard 1.75 to 2.25 ..... 1.25

Hand-Made Filet Edges and Insertions, 2 to 3 inches wide. Formerly a yard 2.50 to 3.00 ..... 1.90

Hand-Made Filet Edges and Insertions, 3 to 4 inches wide. Formerly a yard 3.50 to 4.00 ..... 2.90

Tucked Shadow Lace Edges and Insertions, 1 to 2 inches wide. Formerly a yard 1.00 to 1.25 ..... 69c

Tucked Shadow Lace Edges and Insertions, 2 to 3 inches wide. Formerly a yard 1.50 to 1.75 ..... 98c

Tucked Shadow Lace Edges and Insertions, 3 to 4 inches wide. Formerly a yard 2.00 to 2.50 ..... 1.50

Fine Cross Stitched Knitting Yarns, large hanks. Formerly 35c 25c

Fine Cross Stitched Knitting Yarns, large balls. Formerly 40c 29c

Pequot Sheets, single bed size, 63x99. Formerly 2.35 each 1.89

Fitted Sheets, single bed size, 72x108. Formerly 2.50 each 1.98

Pequot Pillow Cases, 42x36½, for 36-inch pillows. Formerly 85c 69c

Pequot Sheeting, 81 inches wide, for large size beds. Formerly 1.00 ..... 79c

Unbleached Cotton Sheeting, 54 inches wide, formerly 50c yd. 39c

Unbleached Cotton Sheeting, 36 inches wide, formerly 30c yd. 25c

Chiffonier, 5 Full Drawers, large size, heavy weight. Formerly 14.50 ..... 9.90

Chiffonier, Fumed Mahogany, heavy weight. Formerly 19.50 ..... 12.90

Misses' Double V Welsh, formerly 2.25 ..... 1.69

Silver-Plated Bread Trays, formerly 3.50 ..... 2.75

Silver-Plated Casserolers, formerly 3.50 ..... 2.75

Silver-Plated Water Pitchers, formerly 4.50 ..... 3.50

Silver Plated Salts and Peppers, formerly 2.00 pair 1.50

Sterling Silver Tea Balls, formerly 2.75 ..... 1.75

Alarm Clocks, 12-hour. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.35

Eight-Day Mahogany Finish Mantle Clocks. Formerly 11.50 ..... 7.90

Antimony Vases, formerly 1.25 and 1.50 ..... 98c

Silver Plated Mayonnaise Bowls, with liner. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.75

Electric Table Lamps, mahogany finish, silk shade. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Electric Woven Metal Lamps, with shade. Formerly 12.00 ..... 7.90

Nickel Plated Gift Lamps, 16 inches, with shade. Formerly 4.50 ..... 3.75

Metal Picture Frames, not silver or gilt finish. Formerly 2.25 ..... 1.69

Envelope Name Seals, with your name in metal. Come in early for these. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Round Cabinets, for 24-50 Victrola records. Formerly 17.50 and 21.00 ..... 17.50

Fretwork Cabinets, for 24-50 Victrola records, golden oak finish. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Nippon China Dinner Sets, service for 12. Formerly 125.00 ..... 98.00

Nippon China Dinner Sets, service for 100 pieces. Formerly 175.00 ..... 125.00

Nippon China Tea Sets, service for 12. Formerly 100.00 ..... 67.50

American Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, service for 12. Formerly 75.00 ..... 49.90

Plates, breakfast size, dessert, bread and butter, and fruit saucers. Formerly 15c to 25c ..... 10c to 15c

Tea Cups and Saucers, in many decorations. Formerly 2.00 a dozen ..... 1.50 a dozen

Cups and Saucers, in many floral decorations. Formerly 6.00 a dozen ..... 4.50 a dozen

Sugar Bowls, butterfly decorations. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Dishes, 14 and 15-inch, butterfly decorations. Formerly 2.50 each ..... 1.50 to 1.90

Japanese Fireproof Teapots. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Gr ve Boats, butterfly decorations. Formerly 2.25 ..... 1.75

Covered Dishes and Casseroles, butterfly decorations. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.75

Imported Cobalt Glass Dishes, in many and body formerly 10.00 ..... 6.90

Aluminum Carpet, stair and body. Formerly 1.25 ..... 89c

High Grade samples of Wilton carpets at one half price.

Our ENTIRE Stock of Fine **Furniture** (Antiques Excepted) Is Marked Down **10% to 40%**

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Items From Our Great Basement Store

Women's Velour Coats, fur collars. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.50

Women's Coats and Wraps, fur collars. Formerly 45.00 to 150.00 ..... 39.75

Women's Coats, various materials and styles. Formerly 24.00 to 35.00 ..... 19.75

Women's Plaited Plaid Skirts. Formerly 12.50 to 18.50 ..... 9.50

Women's Georgette Waists. Formerly 3.98 to 5.00 ..... 2.95

Women's Georgette Waists, with Vestee and Collar. Formerly 7.50 to 8.98 ..... 6.98

Dimity, Madras and Linen Waists. Formerly 2.00 ..... 1.50

Voile Waists, trimmed. Formerly 2.50 and 2.98 ..... 1.95

Georgette and Net Waists, broken lot. Formerly 3.00 ..... 1.00

Natural Raccoon Coats, 36 in. long. Formerly 245.00 ..... 195.00

Hudson Seal Coats (dyed muskrat). Formerly 275.00 ..... 195.00

Kolinsky Dyed Marmot Coats, 36 in. long. Formerly 250.00 ..... 195.00

Taupe Fox Sets, muff and large scarf. Formerly 75.00 ..... 49.50

Taupe and Brown Fox Scarfs. Formerly 27.50 ..... 19.75

Mahogany Mats (dyed muskrat). Formerly 25.00 ..... 16.50

Women's Wool Scarfs, collar, cuff and belt. Formerly 4.00 ..... 2.25

Black Plush Scarfs, satin lined, fringed and. Formerly 3.95 ..... 2.95

Wool Hose, for misses and children, various colors. Formerly 2.00 ..... 1.25

Black Plush Scarfs, satin lined, fur ed. Formerly 1.95 ..... 1.50

Women's Extra Size Muslin Night-gowns, 18, 19, 20. Formerly 1.50 ..... 79c

Women's Muslin Nightgowns, 16 and 17. Formerly 1.25 ..... 89c

Women's Muslin Nightgowns, 16 and 17. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.00

Pink Jersey Bloomers, cut full, 27. Formerly 1.25 ..... 89c

Flannelette Nightgowns, assorted stripes. Formerly 1.50 ..... 98c

Envelope Chemises, trimmed, 36 to 46. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.20

Women's Muslin Corset Covers, trimmed. Formerly 89c 59c

Windsor Crepe Nightgowns, 16 and 17. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.39

Infants' Silk and Wool Shirts, 3 months to 2 years. Formerly 1.25 ..... 89c

Women's New Spring Taffeta Silk Dresses, showroom samples. Formerly 37.50 to 49.50 ..... 29.90

Women's Silk Dresses, many only one of a style. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Beautiful Evening Gowns, including Georgette and Taffeta. Formerly 39.50 to 58.50 ..... 29.90

Women's Wool Jersey Dresses, all over silk. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Wool Jersey and Serge Dresses. Formerly 12.50 to 20.00 ..... 12.90

Infants' Silk and Wool Bands, 1 mos. to 2 yrs. Formerly 1.50 ..... 49c

Children's Silk and Wool Hose, sizes 6 to 9½. Formerly 75c 39c

Infants' Silk Socks, sizes 4 to 6½. Formerly 75c 49c

Children's Bloomer Dresses, 3 to 6 years. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.25

Children's Wool Gretchen Dresses, 2 to 6 years. Formerly 7.50 ..... 4.90

Children's Wool Chinchilla Coats, 2 to 6 years. Formerly 15.00 ..... 9.90

Children's Wool Coats, 2 to 6 years. Formerly 25.00 ..... 16.90

Infants' Silk and Wool Bands, 1 mos. to 2 yrs. Formerly 1.50 ..... 49c

Sport Suits, 40 in., 18 color combinations. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.98

Coating Velour, 56 in., navy and black. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.98

Black Charmeuse, 40 in., bright finish. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.98

Taffeta, 36 in., navy blue. Formerly 1.75 ..... 1.39

Silks, miscellaneous lot, 36 to 40 in. Formerly 2.50 to 3.50 ..... 1.98

Fancy Ribbons, 3½-in. to 5-in. Formerly 75c to 1.00 ..... 49c

Hair Bow Ribbons, 5½ in. Formerly 75c 49c

Hair Bow Ribbons, 6½-in. wide. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Persian Pattern Ribbons, 7½-in. Formerly 85c 59c

Black Satin Ribbon, 7½-in. Formerly 1.40 ..... 98c

Boys' Ribbed Cotton Hose, black; double knee. Formerly 45c 29c

Girls' Ribbed Cotton Hose, seconds of 35c and 45c grades 19c

Women's Black Kid Boots, comfortable heels. Formerly 8.00 ..... 6.90

Women's Oxfords and Boots, broken sizes. Formerly 6.00 to 8.00 ..... 3.45

Women's Felt Slippers, counter sprung. Formerly 2.00 ..... 1.00

Women's Full Cushioned Silk Hose. Formerly 2.50 and 3.00 ..... 1.90

Women's Full Fashioned Cotton Hose, seconds of 75c grade 49c

Women's Cotton Hose, seconds of 50c grade 29c

Girls' Beaver Hats, full-sapped. Formerly 5.00 ..... 3.90

Girls' Tams, plaid or brushed wool. Formerly 75c 49c

Girls' Plush Hats, tailored styles. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.50

Men's Silk Plaited Hose, slight seconds. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.50

Men's Heather Hose, medium and dark colors. Formerly 75c 49c

Men's Negligee Shirts, percale and madras. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.45

Men's Flannelette Work Shirts. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.45

Men's Work Shirts, blue chambray. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.00

Men's Flannelette Pajamas. Formerly 3.00 ..... 1.90

Men's Flannelette Nightrobes. Formerly 3.00 ..... 1.90

Men's Percale Pajamas, silk logs. Formerly 2.50 ..... 1.65

Men's Bleached Drawers, stout and heavy. Formerly 1.50 ..... 1.00

Men's Silk Neckwear, big variety of patterns. Formerly 1.00 ..... 49c

Men's White Laundered Collars. Formerly 25c ..... 2 for 35c

Men's Cuff Sweaters. Formerly 7.50 ..... 4.95

Men's and Young Men's Suits, fancy cassimeres. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Men's Business Suits. Formerly 35.00 ..... 24.90

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Men's Chesterfield Overcoats. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Men's Tan Cashmere Rain Coats. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Youths' First Long Trouser Suits. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Young Men's Overcoats. Formerly 25.00 ..... 19.90

Young Men's Suits, fancy mixtures. Formerly 35.00 ..... 24.90

Novelty Dress Voiles, 44 in., seconds. Formerly 1.25 ..... 69c

Rimmette Cloth, 99 in., variety of colors. Formerly 1.25 ..... 79c

Ripplette, in 10 and 40 yd. pieces. Formerly 1.00 a yard 69c

Plain Organdies, 40 in., slight imperfections. Formerly 49c 35c

Fine Mercerized Table Damask, 1% yards wide. Formerly 98c 69c

Mercerized Table Damask, 2 yards wide. Formerly 1.15 ..... 79c

Table Cloths, pure linen. Formerly 7.50 ..... 4.90

Hemmed Napkins, 18 inches square. Formerly 2.25 ..... 1.69

Pure Linen Crash, colored border. Formerly 25c 19c

Heavy Turkish Bath Towels, 22x42. Formerly 1.00 ..... 69c

Hemstitched Huck Towels, damask border. Formerly 27.50 ..... 19.90

Fancy Plaid Blankets. Full size. Formerly 5.00 ..... 3.90

White Wool Mixed Blankets, double-bed size. Formerly 6.50 ..... 4.90

Blankets, grey or tan. Full size. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.45

Sateen Covered Comfortables, fancy figured. Formerly 3.50 ..... 2.45

Sikaline-Covered Comfortables, taffeta finish. Formerly 4.50 ..... 3.45

Heavy Double-Warp Bedspreads. Marseilles pattern. Formerly 4.25 ..... 2.69

Heavy Willow Velvet Seamless Rugs, 9x12 ft. Formerly 32.50 ..... 19.90

Wool and Fibre Seamless Rugs, 9x12 ft. Formerly 16.50 ..... 11.95

Wool Fibre Seamless Rugs, 9x12 ft. Formerly 24.50 ..... 19.90

Royal Axminster Seamless Rugs, 6x9 ft. Formerly 45.00 ..... 34.50

Royal Axminster Seamless Rugs, 8x10.6 ft. Formerly 65.00 ..... 47.50

Scotch Wool Rugs, reversible, 6x9 ft. Formerly 25.00 ..... 14.90

Block 8112 Embroidered Lace Flouncings. Formerly 3.98 yd. 2.90

White Cotton Net, 72 inches wide. Formerly 1.00 yd. 69c

Block Embroidered Allover Lace, 45 inches. Formerly 3.25 yd. 1.98

Block Silk Nets, slight imperfections. Formerly 1.00 to 1.50 yd. 39c

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LATE COMERS STILL WELCOME TO $5,000 MOVIE IDENTITY TEST

TWO MORE FILM FACES ON PICTURE PAGE TODAY

We achieve today the quarter-mile post in our sixty-day $5,000 Movie Player Identification Test and there still is time for the late-comer to step in and earn the First Award of $1,000 or one of 218 lesser awards.

Any newsdealer who regularly handles the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser—which two newspapers are conducting this contest for New Englanders best informed about the men and women of the movies—will explain exactly how you may start in the Test today on even terms with those who have been in from the beginning.

NOT DIFFICULT TASK.

It is not the most difficult task in the world, IF you know the movies. All you have to do identify the two pictures published daily throughout the sixty-day period. At the end of the Test you will send in the pictures and the following awards will be paid to those who have the largest percentages of CORRECT identifications:

ONE FIRST AWARD	$1,000
ONE SECOND AWARD	750
ONE THIRD AWARD	500
ONE FOURTH AWARD	400
ONE FIFTH AWARD	300
ONE SIXTH AWARD	200
ONE SEVENTH AWARD	150
ONE EIGHTH AWARD	100
ONE NINTH AWARD	50
100 AWARDS OF $5 EACH	1,000
110 AWARDS OF $5 EACH	550
TOTAL	$5,000

In case of ties, those who are tied will receive the full amount of the award. There will be 120 pictures, and if 110 should be in the largest number of correct identifications, each of the three will receive $1,000. And so with the lesser awards.

READ THE RULES FIRST.

But be sure to read the Rules of the Test. This is of super importance. Note the necessity of taking good care of the Identification Slips; of keeping them neat; of writing legibly; of spelling correctly. The Rules, printed on this page, will answer your every question.

Judging by the again increased demand for Boston Sunday Advertisers, thousands of new members have come into the "Identification" ranks to work hard at work. Or is hard work? Perhaps it would be nearer the truth to say that they are thoroughly enjoying themselves. We regret that the Test continues to be rather an easy one. We were almost to begin putting masks on these players, to the end that picking them out of a crowd might be at least as difficult as walking straight up to your dearest friend at a masked ball and saying, "Why, Matilda?"

TODAY'S TWO PHOTOS.

But something transpired at the mask factory. The chiaroscuro artist failed to arrive. And so, as you can plainly see, we have with us today two players that most delightful little comedienne who was a perfect riot in "Fair and Warmer" and who has again and again repeated on the screen her great success in the spoken drama.

The young gentleman, likewise, is known to one and all. Only a few years ago we saw him in a Booth Tarkington play. Was it the "Country Cousin"? Something like that anyhow. The girl call him a "perfect dear." Write his name on the dotted line and on tomorrow's Boston American for Test Pictures No. 21 and No. 22.

Regardless of all that has been said upon the subject, readers—not many, but some—continue to send in Picture Identification Slips. Please—please!—send in nothing UNTIL THE END OF THE TEST.

WHERE TO FIND PICTURES.

The Plan of the Test was (and is) to print two pictures every day throughout a sixty-day period. On week-days the Test pictures will be found on the Picture Page of the Boston American; on Sunday in the Boston Sunday Advertiser.

In nearly 100 popular motion picture houses in New England there are flashed upon the screen at every performance the Test pictures shown in the Boston American or the Boston Sunday Advertiser. These theatres advertised yesterday more than a quarter-million two-page flyers containing CALL the Test Pictures down to date.

A good way to keep in certain touch with the Test—this has been remarked before, but after Sunday's experience it may be just as well to touch upon it again—is to place an order immediately with your nearest newsdealer.

TELL YOUR NEWSDEALER.

Tell Mr. Newsdealer you will want the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser regularly, locally, while the $5,000 Movie Player Identification Test continues. That will be most after-the-incident, as they say. By that time we hope you will have become a "regular."

Let us once more remind those who would like to begin NOW that the newsdealer—of the 1,000 or more co-operating newspapers regularly—will be pleased to explain how it may be done.

Come on in! Test your knowledge of the movies! Then, the cash prizes are announced next month do NOT be among those who will be heard to say:

"Pahaw! that was easy; if I had gone in I should have earned the First award of $1,000 as easy as pie. I know those players!"

Rules of Movie Actor Identity Test

The Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser's new Movie Picture Players' Identification Test is a test of knowledge possessed by all readers of the Boston American and Boston Sunday Advertiser, irrespective of age, color or sex, also by readers of New England or Canada.

Two hundred and nineteen cash awards will be given by these two newspapers to their readers who submit the largest percentages of correct identifications to the 120 pictures to be published in these two newspapers.

All employees of the Boston American, the Boston Sunday Advertiser, and Ahrit families, and all moving picture players and persons connected with moving picture industry are absolutely barred from participating in the awards.

The Test will consist of 120 pictures of favorite moving picture players, to be printed, two each day, in the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser. Test picture Sunday, December 19, 1920.

Participation is any other contest which has been run, which is now running or which shall be run by the Boston American or the Boston Sunday Advertiser will not debar anyone from entering this Test.

Every participant or any or all members of a family will be allowed to submit one set of pictures, but each set must contain only ONE identification to each picture, and no participant shall be entitled to more than one award, and not more than one award shall be given in any one family.

Each and every identification must be neatly written or printed on the coupon furnished by the Boston American or Boston Sunday Advertiser or on a piece of more than paper furnished by the Boston American or Boston Sunday Advertiser, or a pen or pencil copy of the coupon and must have the name, residence, etc., of the participant on each identification blank.

In case a tie exists between two or more contestants, awards will be given in the order of correctness submitted. The largest percentage of correct identifications.

In case of a tie awards will be made as follows: Duplicate awards will be given to the successful contestants, and if the tie cannot be decided in that way, the tied contestants will receive similar awards.

Under no circumstances should participants send in their identifications before the end of the Test, to say next in before the last picture has been published in the newspapers. KEEP your identifications from your friends and at the end of the Test arrange them in numerical order and then send them in all together at one time.

The Test will not be a factor in making the awards. The first identifications sent in after the Test closes will be the ones that will count in the awarding.

All identifications must be delivered to the Boston American Movie Test Headquarters, Box No. 80 Summer street, Boston 9, Mass., either by mail or in person within the specified time limit, which will be announced later.

Each and every package containing identifications must be neatly addressed to Movie Player Test Editor, No. 80 Summer street, Boston 9, Mass., P. O. Box 230, and on each envelope or package must bear the name and address of the sender, and must be plainly stamped on the upper right-hand corner.

The Boston American will not be liable for any postal matter, and should any package be necessary that the package be fully covered at postal letter rate of postage, and that it may pass to the postoffice as first class matter. The Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser reserve the right to refuse to consider any package upon which postage has not been fully paid, and that may pass as first class matter.

Participants who desire further information should address their inquiries to the Movie Test Editor, No. 80 Summer street, Boston 9, Mass. Questions will be answered, so far as practicable, by mail, but the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser reserve the right of participants desire personal replies, they should enclose sufficient postage for such reply, or they may phone Main 0100, or call in person.

The Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser reserve the right to make any changes in, or additions to these conditions that may be deemed necessary for fairly and properly conducting the test, and the decision of the Boston American and Movie Test Editor on any question which may arise will be considered final, and the entry of a participant in a contest implies acceptance of the conditions now made or to be made.

Theatres Co-operating in Test

The number of first-class New England motion picture theatres which are co-operating with the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser in the $5,000 Movie Player Identification Test is today 176.

At the beginning of the Test the two newspapers, the Boston American and the Boston Sunday Advertiser, looked to see about two hundred theatres join them in the hunt for the best posted movie fans. But THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX!—the number is eloquent testimony to the keen interest of New Englanders. First, in the motion pictures; and second, in anything saving to do with them.

You will read this list in vain for the name of a theatre which does not enjoy the highest repute in the community it serves. And you will look through the entire 376 theatres and not find one manager who is not imbued with the desire to give his patrons at least a little more than they pay for.

The co-operating theatres:

BOSTON

Beacon, Keith's Blue, Dorchester Square, Cobb, Fort Andrew, Fort Strong, Fort Warren, Gordon's Olympia, Gordon's Scollay Square, Modern, Olympia, Dorchester Square, Parkman, 1741 Washington street, Star, Scollay Square, Tremont, Washington, Allston, ALLSTON, 126 Brighton av. Arlington, ARLINGTON, Hoffman's Theatre Co., Regent, Brighton, BRIGHTON, Brighton, 400 Market street, Cambridge, CAMBRIDGE, Durrell, Gordon's Central Square, Harvard, Harvard Square, Lowell, CHARLESTOWN, Thompson Square, Chelsea, CHELSEA, Block's Theatres, Gordon's Olympia, Strand, Dedham, DEDHAM, Town Hall, Dorchester, DORCHESTER, Codman Square, Dorchester, Franklin Park, Gordon's Dorchester Strand, Upham's Corner, Hamilton, Wilson, Winthrop Hall, Winthrop, EAST BOSTON, Central Square, Everett, EVERETT, Broadway, Hoffman's Theatre Co., Olympia, Hyde Park, Everett Square, Block's Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain, Strand, Jamaica Plain, Malden, Mystic, MALDEN, Mattapan, MATTAPAN, Milton, MILTON, Fellsway, Medford, REVERE, Crescent Gardens, New Broadway, Revere, ROSLINDALE, Gorman's, Roslindale, Dudley, Egleston Square, Nubian, 2223 Washington street, Nubian, Roxbury, 2170 Washington street, Cumberland, Roxbury, ROXBURY CROSSING, Eliot, SOMERVILLE, Bay Street Olympia, Broadway, Somerville, Hoffman's Theatre Co., Capitol, Somerville, Convress Hall, Somerville, Olympia, SOUTH BOSTON, Broadway, Convress Hall, Strand, Olympia,

MASSACHUSETTS

Amesbury, Strand, ANDOVER, Colonial, ATHOL, Lyric, Opera House, AYER, Camp Devens, Strand, BEVERLY, Ware Bros. Theatre, BOXFORD, Town Hall, BRIDGEWATER, Princess, BROCKTON, Perkins Temple, Rialto, Strand, CANTON, Orpheum, CHICOPEE FALLS, Royal, CLIFTONDALE, Dream, CLINTON, Globe, Strand, CONCORD JUNCTION, Association Hall, DANVERS, Elm, EAST PEPPERELL, Alethia, Orchard, EAST WEYMOUTH, Odd Fellows Opera House, FALL RIVER, Empire, Palace, Plaza, Rialto, Strand, FALMOUTH, Elizabeth, FITCHBURG, Majestic, Lawrence, FOXBORO, Orpheum, FRANKLIN, Morse Opera House, GARDNER, Orpheum, GLOUCESTER, Gordon's North Shore, Strand, GREAT BARRINGTON, Mahaiwe, GREENFIELD, Colonial, HAVERHILL, Lafayette, Majestic, HOLBROOK, Town Hall, HOLYOKE, Bijou, Majestic, Strand, Theatre Star, HOPKINTON, Town Hall, HUDSON, Film, HYANNIS, Idlehour, IPSWICH, Opera House, LAWRENCE, Block's Rialto, Broadway, Commonwealth, Empire, Strand, LEOMINSTER, Gem, Strand, LEXINGTON, Battle Hall, LEXINGTON, Lexington, LOWELL, Block's Jewel, Nonesuch Square, Rialto, LYNN, Block's Waldorf, Central, Comique, Gordon's Olympia, Gordon's Strand, Strand, MANCHESTER-BY-THE-SEA, Hunt-Leonard Hall, MARLBORO, Warwick, MARLBORO, Marlboro, Strand, MEDFIELD, Town Hall, MELROSE, Melrose, MIDDLEBORO, Park, MILFORD, Opera House, Strand, MILLBURY, Town Hall, MILLVILLE, Millville, MONSON, Roderick Hall, NATICK, Natick, NEW BEDFORD, Allen's, Garland, Casino, Colonial, Comique, Gordon's Olympia, Strand, Orpheum, Rialto, Royal, Strand, NEWBURYPORT, Premier, Strand, NORTH ATTLEBORO, Elm, NORTH DIGHTON, Recreation Hall, ONSET, New Onset, PALMER, Idlehour, PEABODY, Strand, PITTSFIELD, Sea, PROVINCETOWN, Pilgrim, QUINCY, Allahambra, Block's Quincy, Casino, Block Hill, Strand, READING, Reading, ROCKLAND, Block's Strand, Town Hall, SALEM, Comique, Empire, Federal, Plaza, SHARON, Town Hall, SHELBURNE FALLS, Mills, SOUTHBRIDGE, Hall, SOUTHBRIDGE, Bijou, Broadway, Capitol, Park, Plaza, STONEHAM, Stoneham, STOUGHTON, Orpheum, Town Hall, TAUNTON, Auditorium, Casino, Park, Strand, THREE RIVERS, Idle Hour, TURNERS FALLS, Opera House, UXBRIDGE, Town Hall, WALTHAM, Central Square, Waldorf, Walkham, WARE, Casino, Strand, WAREHAM, Orpheum, WARREN, Strand, WATERTOWN, Strand, WAYLAND, Wayland Square, WEBSTER, Music Hall, Steinberg, WENTHORO, Town Hall, WESTFIELD, New Nickel, Westfield, WEST SPRINGFIELD, Empire, WEYMOUTH, Bates Opera House, WINCHENDON, Monadnock, Strand, WINTHROP, Walden, WOBURN, Woburn, WOLLASTON, Wollaston Temple, WORCESTER, Gordon's Family, Gordon's New Park, Olympia, Rialto, Royal, Modern,

NEW HAMPSHIRE

ASHLAND, Lyric, BERLIN, Albert, Gem, Princess, CONCORD, Black's Star, Broadway, DOVER, Block's Strand, EAST JAFFREY, Cunningham, EXETER, Inka, GORHAM, Opera House, GREENVILLE, Fairpoint, HILLSBORO, Opera House, KEENE, Scenic, LACONIA, Colonial, MANCHESTER, Eagle, Modern, Star, PITTSFIELD, Opera House, PORTSMOUTH, Colonial, Music Hall, Strand, ROCHESTER, Scenic, SANBORNVILLE, Opera House, WINCHESTER, Monadnock,

CONNECTICUT

DANIELSON, Orpheum, PLAINFIELD, Lily, NEW HAVEN, Block's Rialto, Empire, NEW LONDON, Empire, Bank street, Fort H. G. Wright, Fort Terry, Rialto, Bank street, NORWICH, Davis, PUTNAM, Victory, STONINGTON, Bora Hall, WILLIMANTIC, Loomer Opera House,

RHODE ISLAND

APPONAUG, R. of C. Hall, AUBURN, Auburn, CENTRAL FALLS, Casino, CENTREDALE, Trahan's Casino, EAST GREENWICH, Star, GRANITEVILLE, Granitville, MANVILLE, Trahan's Opera House, NARRAGANSETT BAY, Fort Greble, NATICK, Star, NEWPORT, Colonial, Comston, Fort Adams, Opera House, Strand, PROVIDENCE, Emery, Fay, Gayety, Palace, Royal, RIVERSIDE, Odeon, VALLEY FALLS, Strand, WARREN, Lyric, WESTERLY, Block's Bijou Opera House Central, Lyric, WOONSOCKET, Block's Lasalle, Park, Smith's,

MAINE

AUGUSTA, Colonial, BANGOR, Block's Opera House, Graphic, BATH, Block's Columbia, Block's Opera House, Empire, Hall, BELFAST, Block's Strand, BETHEL, Odeon Hall, BIDDEFORD, Block's, BRUNSWICK, Bijou, BUCKSPORT, Alamo, CALAIS, St. Croix Music House, CARIBOU, Powers, EASTPORT, Acme, ELLSWORTH, Bijou, FORT FAIRFIELD, Block's, FORT KENT, Block's, GARDINER, Colliseum, Opera House, HALLOWELL, Acme, HOULTON, Block's Opera House, KENNEBUNK, Acme, LEWISTON, Empire, Music Hall, Mystic, Strand, LINCOLN, Odd Fellows Hall, LIVERMORE FALLS, Dreamland, LUBEC, Eagle, MILLINOCKET, Opera House, NORWAY, Rex, OAKLAND, Toy, OXFORD, Robinson Hall, PATTON, Chase Opera House, PORTLAND, Casco, Elm, Empire, Fort McKinley, Fort Williams, New Portland, Strand, RANGELEY, Rangeley Hall, RICHMOND, Opera House, ROCKLAND, Block's Family, Block's Park, RUMFORD, Cheney Opera House, SANFORD, Majestic, SOUTH BERWICK, Strand, SOUTH PARIS, Sawyer, SPRINGVALE, Colonial, VAN BUREN, Van Buren, WATERVILLE, Block's Opera House, WESTBROOK, Block's Star, WILTON, Bijou, WINTHROP, Acme, Cheney Opera House,

VERMONT

BARRE, Block's Opera House, Park, BETHEL, Block's, BRATTLEBORO, Block's Princess, BURLINGTON, Fort Ethan Allen, Majestic, Orpheum, Strand, EAST HIGHGATE, Jem, FAIR HAVEN, Block's, JOHNSON, Johnson, MANCHESTER DEPOT, Colonial, NORTHFIELD, Block's Savoy, PROCTOR, Quechee, RANDOLPH, Block's Strand, RICHFORD, Block's Park, ST. ALBANS, Block's Strand, ST. JOHNSBURY, Empire,

DEAF MUTE AND BLIND GIRL WED

Marriage Service Interpreted at Wedding of E. W. Frisbie and Miss Cora Crocker

In the presence of a group of deaf mutes, E. W. Frisbie, a deaf mute and a lay "reader" at the Trinity Church of Boston, and Miss Cora Crocker, who is deaf and blind, were married by the Rev. A. Z. Conrad in the Park Street Congregational Church.

Mr. Frisbie is also a trustee of the New England Home for Deaf Mutes, and his bride are now on their honeymoon in western Massachusetts and New York State. They were unaccompanied by anyone who had knowledge of the sign language, so much as one could see and the other could talk that they would have no difficulty in getting about.

After Mr. Conrad followed the usual spoken word ceremony which was interpreted to the couple by attendants who had learned the finger language, they were showered with mute congratulations.

The marriage is the climax of a short friendship which began at the New England Home for Deaf Mutes, of which the bridegroom is an officer. William Alcott, manager of the home, and Mrs. Madeline Hibbs of New York were the interpreters.

ROSLINDALE FRIENDS OF ERIN ELECT LEEN

An enthusiastic meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Branch, F. O. L. F., was held at the A. O. H. Hall, Roslindale. Seventy-five new members were initiated for the New Year. The following officers were elected for 1921: Michael Leen, president; Mary Fallon, vice-president; Margaret Hoolihan, recording secretary; Daniel J. Moynihan, financial secretary; Alice Lyons, corresponding secretary; Joseph Steffens, treasurer, and William J. Ryan, orator.

MAYOR BRADFORD NAMES BROWN TO FORMER POST

Mayor William A. Bradford of Quincy made his first appointment today, naming Moses L. Brown to be Commissioner of Public Works. The position pays a salary of $5,000 a year. Brown was commissioner for three years, resigning in March of last year to become Mayor Bradford's secretary. Mr. Weaver resigned yesterday.

PEACH TREES BUDDING IN CONNECTICUT ORCHARD

Ledyard, Jan. 4.—Peach trees are budding in some of the large orchards about here, many buds have also been noticed at the Kitemaug orchard across the Thames River. The condition of the trees are so that a sudden cold spell will kill many of them.

WORCESTER MAYOR TO FIGHT HIGHER FARE

Worcester, Jan. 4.—Mayor Peter P. Sullivan has announced that he will carry his fight against the proposal of the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway to obtain a flat 10-cent fare to the Public Service Commission. He will confer with the city solicitor on the campaign tomorrow or Thursday.

EMPLOYERS AND MEN CONFER

Building Trades Council and Master Builders Adjusting Differences

No report of the conferences now in progress between the United Building Trades Council and the Building Trades Employers' Association will be made public until all difference between the two have been settled.

This was announced today by President J. Allen Frost of the council. Members of the association declined to make any comment.

A meeting of the council will be held at its hall on Harrison avenue late today, when reports of the various conference committees will be heard. These, however, will not be made public.

It is understood that several small concerns have subscribed to the agreement drawn up by the council.

Representatives of the plasterers' union stated that that body seeks $1.25 per hour, instead of $1.50, as has been publicly announced. The members of this union are not on strike. They held a meeting at Paine memorial Hall today.

The Master Builders' Association has taken the attitude that organizations of workmen or of employers which so act as to obstruct the free and legal conduct of business or of individuals are inimical to the interests of workmen, of employers and of the community at large, and should be opposed.

The by-laws maintained that while associations of workmen and associations of employers have secured and may secure many things for their constituents that are wholly good and beneficial without encroaching on the rights of others, they have frequently departed from legitimate lines of action and have so operated as to endanger the very foundations of social and economic well being.

The directors of the association, acting on the suggestion of the advisory committee, have unanimously declared that in their judgment no engagements should be made by employers or by associations of employers, with workmen or with organizations assuming to represent workmen, which directly or indirectly ignore the right of the community to freedom from strife and to the unpathetic strike and the boycott of non-union material.

CLUB'S REVELS AT HOTEL TO DRAW 1,000

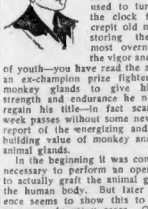
Nearly a thousand guests are expected at the Twelfth Night Revels to be held by the Professional Women's Club next Saturday evening in the Copley Plaza ballroom. This occasion will be club presidents' night. Mrs. Winfred C. Pike is chairman of the revels and Mrs Pauline Hammond Clark of the program. Dancers from the studio of Mrs. Julia Wells Comins, assisted by Miss Amelia Burnham, will furnish entertainment. There will be a vaudeville show and dancing. Miss Chase Barrows will impersonate the Queen; Mrs. Malcolm Perry Bond, King; Mrs. Frank Milliken and Miss Edith Munroe, pages, and Mrs. Frank Crocker, herald. The receiving line will be headed by Miss Bertha Wesselhoeft Swift and Miss Ella Fairbanks, vice-presidents.

LYNN FOLK TO AID POOR MOTHER AND CHILDREN

The wife and two children of Arthur Tetrault, who is held in $800 in Taunton on charges of larceny by means of false representations, are destitute at No. 45 Suffolk street, Lynn. Lynn police announced that a child baby was born to Mrs. Tetrault yesterday, but did within a few hours. Plans to help the family are under way. Tetrault is alleged to have swindled mothers of ex-service men in Taunton by promising to find their sons in various hospitals and restore them to their families.

EXPECT AGREEMENT OF ALLIES AND CONSTANTINE

London, Jan. 4.—Diplomatic circles in Athens are evidently a settlement between the allies and King Constantine's government is imminent, said an Athens dispatch to the Daily Express today.



GRIP MAY RETURN

Doctors say influenza may come back. If it does, be ready to fight off the germs by taking Father John's Medicine now to build new resisting power.

Remember, this pure food Medicine is guaranteed free from alcohol and dangerous drugs and has been successfully used for 65 years for colds, coughs and as a body builder.

Nurses Support New Maternity Bill

SOME CHILDBIRTH FIGURES—

At least one baby in every twenty-five dies from diseases traceable to pre-natal conditions.

The maternity death rate in Massachusetts has increased steadily since 1915.

In 1917 the childbirth death rate in Massachusetts was 64 per 10,000 births; in 1918 it was 84; in 1919, in Boston, it was 66 per 10,000 births.

Pre-natal care given by the Boston District Nursing Association in 1919 lowered the infant death rate 60 per 10,000.

Pre-natal care lowered the number of still births 44½ per cent.

What is the answer to these figures?

Legislation!

Miss Mary Sheard, director of the Boston District Nursing Association, speaking recently at the annual meeting of the American Association for Labor Legislation in New York, called the increase in maternity mortality in this State "shocking."

Dr. Richard Bolt, general director of the American Child Hygiene Association, stated that "more women between fifteen and forty-five years of age lose their lives from conditions connected with childbirth than from any other cause except tuberculosis."

He added that the United States government do if 20,000 or more persons died in this country in one year from drowning in a single flood."

AIDING MATERNITY BILL.

To better these conditions, the Boston District Nursing Association is bending its energies toward support of a bill for maternity benefits that will come up before the 1921 Legislature. The bill, introduced by Representative Benjamin Loring Young, provided that the State shall supply nursing care to all mothers who request it before, during and following confinement.

The bill is a phoenix, rising from the ashes of defeat. Last year after a valiant fight in the Legislature it was referred to the next General Court. The bill never "down," its supporters declare, but will bob up again as often as need be until the State shall see the necessity to protect its motherhood and the coming generation.

"It is not merely the ignorant or poverty-stricken class that needs this legislation," said Miss Sheard, at the District Nursing headquarters, No. 561 Massachusetts avenue. "You would be amazed if you could see all the types of women who go to our nurses for advice, pathetically eager to do what is right. Among them are the wives of many professional men who live in the most enlightened homes, are intelligent and educated, but ignorant on this one point. You would be amazed if you could realize how little some of the things are known to the simplest details of pre-natal care.

MANY DEATHS PREVENTABLE.

"The commission appointed by the Governor to study the maternity death rate and surrounding conditions has just made a special study of a group, chosen at random, not from any particular area.

"It found that of 300 women who died at childbirth during the first six months of 1919 in Massachusetts, 117 died from preventable causes. And in every one of those cases, the question of income had nothing to do with the case. That is, the women were all able to afford the best proper care; they simply did not know what kind of care they needed.

These figures refute an argument often brought forward by opponents of maternity benefits, that infant death rate due to ignorance is almost wholly among the poorer classes, and that any effort to save these babies is a futile one to save the unfit. The district nurse knows better. She knows that proper nursing care brings into the world and develops healthy babies. She works daily at this effort, and her results

DISREGARDED INSTRUCTIONS.

There was the case of a young woman in a tenement district who had lost her first baby and called in the district nurse when she was expecting her second. The nurse told her what to do, how to diet and exercise, what to wear and prepare—but the woman disregarded her instructions. The neighbors laughed at them and pointed to their own children as living testimonials to carried out conditions.

The baby was born while the mother was ill with bronchitis, and the nurse at once saw that it could not live. To save the mother distress of mind, she urged that it be baptised. This was done; and the mother, although grief-stricken at her loss, felt a new confidence in the nurse.

The time came when a third baby was expected, and again the mother sought the nurse, this time following implicitly all her advice. The baby, a fine healthy child; is now three years old, and is being brought up in a way fitted for home under proper conditions.

VALUE OF PRE-NATAL CARE.

The association has some interesting figures showing the value of pre-natal care. Pre-natal visits were paid to 800 expectant mothers, in a group of 1,800 in which no pre-natal care was given, but service of the latter group the following confinement, the death rate in the first week was 73 per 1,000 to 1,000.

It is a hard, slow process, teaching the community at large. Individuals are taught one by one; but the public is a slow pupil. The district nurse, however, fills an important niche in the community where she is known, and only needs to be duplicated to have the community educated. She has earned the gratitude and confidence of thousands of patients in districts where her influence has been most needed. But she has yet to tell the world as she does when she and Buddy were walking along the street and the district nurse approached.

"Yet outer the way an' let the lady by," ordered Johnny.

"Whadder y'mean, lady?" retorted Buddy. "She's more'n a lady, she's a nurse."

PACKERS' PLANS REJECTED

Big Interests Get Another Chance to Dispose of "Obnoxious Holdings"

By International News Service.

Washington, Jan. 4.—All of the plans submitted by the five large packers for the dissolution of stock yard and terminal interests, under the agreement entered into with the government, were today disapproved by the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

Justice Stafford authorized the government to put the dissolution of these unrelated interests of the packers into effect through receivership and sale.

The court allowed the packers a short time in which they may submit a new plan.

Justice Stafford's decision holds that the packers "have actually created a monopoly of a line of interstate commerce."

The court orders early and complete divestment of all "obnoxious holdings" and says that a chief delay in disposal of the properties is proposed" such plans must provide for control of such properties in the meantime" of all such properties.

MRS. O'GRADY REINSTATED AS PROBATION OFFICER

New York, Jan. 4.—Chief Magistrate William McAdoo has reinstated Mrs. Ellen A. O'Grady, who resigned as probation officer in 1915, to her office. Mrs. O'Grady recently caused a sensation by resigning as deputy police commissioner after criticizing the conduct of the department.

New Strength and Energy For the Weak and Aged

To be strong, vigorous and active you must have pure blood, rich, red blood of the kind that organic iron—Nuxated Iron—helps make. Without iron in the blood you cannot get red blood and like the iron in spinach, beefsteak and other foods, Nuxated Iron must first be changed into organic iron before it can enter the blood. Unless you do this you will not get the benefit of the iron you take into your system. Nuxated Iron helps make rich red blood, revitalizes worn-out, run-down nerves and gives new strength and energy. At all druggists. Beware of substitutes. Ask your doctor or druggist about Nuxated Iron.

NUXATED IRON
For Red Blood, Strength and Endurance

SURE WAY TO GET RID OF BLACKHEADS

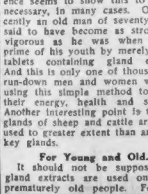
There is one simple, safe and sure way to get rid of blackheads. That is to dissolve them.

To do this get two ounces of calonite powder from any drug store—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet washcloth and rub the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will wonder how the blackheads could have disappeared. Big blackheads, little blackheads, no matter what they are, simply dissolve and disappear, leaving the pores of the skin as pure as a baby's complexion. Blackheads are simply a mixture of dust and dirt and secretions from the body that clog up the pores of the skin—pinching and squeezing only cause irritation, make large pores and do not get them out after they become hard. The calonite powder and the water simply dissolve the blackheads and you wash right out, leaving the pores free and clean and in their natural condition. Anybody troubled with these unsightly blemishes should certainly try this simple method.—Advertisement.

New Tonic Works Like Monkey Glands

Run Down Men and Women Said to Gain Sparkling Health and Surprising Strength by Just Eating New Gland Tablets

Guaranteed to Bring Decided Results in 10 Days or Costs You Nothing



You have read the surprising stories about how monkey and other animal glands are said to rejuvenate. It used to turn back the clock for decrepit old men, restoring them with most overnight to the vigor and health of youth—you have read the story of an ex-champion prize fighter using monkey glands to give him the strength and endurance he needs to regain his title—in fact scarcely a week goes by without some newspaper report of the energizing and health building value of monkey and other animal glands.

In the beginning it was considered necessary to perform an operation—to actually graft the animal gland to the human body. But later experience seems to show this to be unnecessary, in many cases. Only recently an old man of seventy-two is said to have become as strong and vigorous as he was when in the prime of his youth by merely eating tablets containing gland extracts. And this is only one of thousands of run-down men and women who are using this simple method to regain their youthful vim, vigor and energy. Another interesting point is that the glands of sheep and cattle are being used to a greater extent than are monkey glands.

For Young and Old.

It should not be supposed that gland extracts are used only with prematurely old people. For they are being used extensively by young men and women who are anaemic, run-down, nervous, thin, pale, weak, with results that seem surprising. As a tonic and strength builder, gland extracts, it would seem, have their great use.

The reason appears to be perfectly simple. According to those who have given this new treatment the greatest thought, our health and vigor depend largely on our ductless glands, which help govern the building up of the billions of cells in the blood, muscles, brain and nerves of the body. They do this by means of a substance called hormones, which they supply to the blood. When the glands for any reason fail to supply these hormones the building up of our cells may be checked and, if so, we become weak, anaemic, and generally run down.

Gland extracts from animals may then be used to supply the very substance which the glands have failed to produce, with the purpose of removing the cause of the run-down conditions. This idea of using animal extracts is not in itself new—pepsin, which has been used for years in indigestion, comes from the stomach of an animal.

While it may seem almost too good to be true, there have been reports of people who almost doubled their strength and vitality by the gland theory, and if these results are said to be felt the first few days. In fact, it would sometimes look as though there was but little need for the slow, tedious, down and worn out and nervous, or growing old prematurely, for gland extracts are said to be as much a boon and cattle can now be purchased at any drug store under the name of Glandex Compound. In addition to the gland extracts this new tablet also contains other valuable tonic ingredients, such as iron, which physicians have prescribed for many years. Thus you get not only the help of the glands but of other tonics as well.

How To Tell If Your Glands Are Starving

Gland extracts have secured so much attention as a result of having helped people in so many ways that some say look upon them as a remedy for everything. This is a misconception. To correct this impression the laboratories have prepared the following list of symptoms which might warn that the use of Glandex Compound (gland extracts with other valuable tonics) would be of benefit to you:

Weakness. Thinness. Lack of Vitality. Constant Depression. Irritability. Nervousness. Despondency. Sexual Sluggishness. Sleeplessness. Paleness. And general run-down conditions.

Free Trial—Guarantee

You are not asked to risk a single cent to find out if Glandex Compound will give you the buoyant, lively spirit of youth, a firm elastic step, the bright eye, cheeks, the strength and endurance and the hearty appetite of the rejuvenated mind and body. All you have to do is to take Glandex Compound according to the simple directions for ten days. If within that time results are not perfectly satisfactory, your druggist is authorized to refund your money at once without question or red tape, on your simple request.

This is the latest offer that could be made, and it is only because of the success of the new gland extracts mixed with iron and the other ingredients that it would be possible to back Glandex Compound with such a remarkable gharantee. Remember you risk nothing. Go to your druggist today as Glandex Compound is scarce because of the great demand. And remember, you risk nothing. The money-back guarantee is supported by all of the resources of the Glandex Company, Inc., 244 West 29th Street, New York.

Restful Relief From a Cold

Colds Quickly Broken and Effects Avoided by the Remarkable Influence of Orangeine.

The one thing about a cold that always puts the sufferer on the rack is its effect on the nervous system, the

Memo At Last, and Now for Orangeine to Wallop That Cold I Feel Creeping All Over Me

restlessness, the nag of a cough, the misery of stuffed up nostrils, the inability to be content at anything.

Then is the time that the first use of ORANGEINE puts a new light on the folly of suffering in this day and age of simple, quick, reliable and infallible means of relief. Colds will come to anyone, no matter how careful the habits. And experience has taught that to get the system calm, restful, contented and at ease, nature will then work hard and fast to get rid of what we call a cold. ORANGEINE is thus a remarkably beneficial aid in any treatment, for even a severe cold that puts one to bed. And its timely use will prevent, as also overcome, the headaches, pains and other distresses which usually follow the attack.

Get a 25 cent package of ORANGEINE, either powders or tablets, of any druggist, and you will never again be in doubt if a cold gets you unawares.

Beauty of Skin Enhanced by Cuticura

When used for every-day toilet purposes Cuticura keeps the complexion fresh and clear, hands soft and white and hair live and glossy. The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal and the Talcum to powder and perfume.

Soap Price 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold everywhere. Soap 3c. Ointment 2 and 3c. Talcum 2c. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Malden 48, Mass."

Stocks Heavy in New York; Foreign Exchange Irregular

TRADING QUIET IN BOSTON

Calumet & Hecla Makes Good, Most Coppers Recede; Curb Market Mixed

Calms were the rule in Boston at the opening and this was the case all morning. But the market was quiet and had less breadth. The passing of the Mohawk dividend caused no surprise and had little effect upon coppers. Calumet & Hecla appeared at 317 and soon sold at 326, its highest since it touch 290. New England Telephone sold at par, but did not remain there long. Packing issues were up as a class. Rails were quiet, but had a better tone. Elder sold at a new low record price for the Boston exchange. Gains of from one to three points were made during the forenoon by Webb, Cabinet & Armour, U. S. Cartridge, Boston & Maine B, Agricultural Chemical, United Drug, West End, Lawrence Gas, Telephone, Dewey & Inn, and Swift International. Edison receded nearly two.

Fractional gains were made by American Telephone, American Woolen preferred, Boston & Maine, Chapin Razing, Mohawk, Old Dominion, Davis Daly, North Butte, United Shoe, Eastern Manufacturing, Atlas Tack, Swift & Co. and Libby. Among issues to show small losses were Allouez, New Cornelia, Big-

heart, Gray & Davis, Elder, Simms Magneto and Quincy.

CURB TRADING DULL.

The Boston Curb had a dull opening and trading in this market lagged during the morning. It had a fairly good tone, however. Early leaders were Boston & Montana, Merrimac Development and Palisade. Strong stocks at the start included Bagdad, Eureka, South Holly, Gadsden and Hecla Divide. Weak ones were Cyprus, United Verde Extension and Verde Mines.

At the end of an hour Boston & Montana was off 1 cent at 39 cents, Eureka 1 cent at 14 cents and United Verde Extension ¼ at 22¾. Among gains were Merrimac Development 1 cent at 8 cents, Palisade 2 cents at 6 cents, Hecla Divide 2 cents at 9 cents and Eureka South Holly ¼ at 2¼.

BOSTON FINANCIAL NOTES

New England Oil Refining Co. has filed the Fisk Building, No. 85 State street, and will occupy its rooms after January 15. Four quarters when alterations are completed.

The F. G. Gray Co. has recently increased its preferred stock by $200,000, making the capital $1,000,000, and its common stock by $300,000, making the capital $1,500,000, it is announced. Elmer K. Gray is listed with $1,200,000 of outstanding stock.

Newly chartered Massachusetts corporations are the F. S. Whitcomb Co., Boston, capital $500,000, manufacturers of type founders' supplies; Dorfel Co., Boston, (no. capital) $1,000,000, dry goods and wearing apparel.

Shareholders of the Boston Suburban Electric Co. at their meeting on Dec. 30 voted to increase the capital stock by $1,000,000 in notes due on demand to a like amount, and to organize a new voluntary association to acquire the property of the telephone company.

The Bearing Oil Co. has increased its capital stock from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000, increased stock being paid for in cash to full par. The Bearing Oil Co. has also increased its authorized capital from $12,000,000 to $150,000,000.

Shares of stock of the Boston Stock Exchange totaled $6,360,000 or more than three times the amount of the other month during 1920 and exceeding a fourth of the total for the whole of the previous year. December's record of 1,453,600 shares made up 32 per cent of the total trading for the 1920 year.

ATLANTIC-GULF AT NEW LOW

Market Advances and Reacts During the Morning; Oils, Rails and Steels Lower

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor.

Stocks were heavy in New York at noon, and the best that could be said of the market was that it was irregular. The majority of issues were off. Steels, rails and oils were lower, although United States Steel showed a small advance. Atlantic Gulf was still weak, being off nearly four points at its lowest.

Other weak issues were: Crucible, Mexican Petroleum, Pan-American, Kelly Springfield, U. S. Rubber, Cuba Cane, New York Central and American Sugar. Strong ones included Royal Dutch, American Linseed Oil, Houston, Baldwin, Inspiration, Utah Copper, Texas Coal and Oil and Vanadium. Most active was National Lead.

The market was active, first hour transactions exceeding 250,000 shares. Call money opened at 7 per cent. Foreign exchange rates ruled lower, sterling demand sterling was a shade higher.

REACTION AFTER START.

The majority of issues were up a little on opening, but there was an immediate reaction. It left the list looking weak, but the rally which soon followed put it back to about the initial level. Atlantic Gulf was the early feature. It was weak from the start, selling at a new low record for the New York Stock Exchange during the first hour. Other oils were irregular, but they had a heavy tone at the start. Oils, steels, coppers and motors were indefinite as to early trend, but sugars, tires and tobaccos displayed strength on a few transactions. The price range was narrow when compared with recent fluctuations, and the trading was professional character. Stocks were in moderate supply only, but demand was equally limited. The disposition to take profits quickly was a restraining influence.

SHORT INTEREST REDUCED.

Strength of the market yesterday was attributed to a large extent to covering operations, and as the short interest was materially reduced the support from this source was of less importance this morning. Sentiment is more bullish just now than for some time. The renewed demand for bonds is considered significant. Indications of the moment are that liquidation is complete except in the case of a few individual issues. But repurchasing of securities sold to establish income tax losses has not so far this week been to the extent expected. Most of the sellers seem disposed to wait until there is more evidence that the bottom has been reached. Investment buying on a small scale continues and a good deal of the interest and dividend money now being disbursed is in search of odd-lot buying. As regards the business situation, it is doubted if liquidation is anywhere near over. The public is as reluctant as ever to buy, evidently believing the final "mark downs" are yet to be made.

SPECIALTIES UP 3 TO 8 POINTS

Higher Opening for Stocks Reflects Market's Happy Frame of Mind

By BROADAN WALL.

Reuters U. S. Patent Office.

New York, Jan. 4—With but few exceptions the stock market closed strong yesterday with substantial gains in practically all of the most active industrials and railroad issues. Advances in the standard issues ranged from a fraction to a full point while specialties showed gains all the way from three to nearly eight points.

Business was on a lighter scale, but purchases for the most part represented covering of outstanding short commitments by persons who had been waiting until the beginning of the new year to close out their transactions on the bear side of the market in order to use the profits which would have to be paid the government if the transactions had been completed last week.

Wall Street began the new year in a cheerful frame of mind as reflected in a higher opening for stocks. The improvement in quotations also reflected the many optimistic statements issued by captains of industry and bankers concerning the outlook for finance and business the current year.

Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 11:30 a. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Algomah	48	49	48	48
Allouez	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Am Ag Chems	80½	80½	80	80
Am Ag Chem pf	80½	81	80	80
Am Pneu Serv	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Am Sugar pf	101	101	100¾	101
Am Tel & Tel	97	97	96½	96½
Am Woolen	63	63	63	63
Am Woolen pf	94½	94½	94	94
Am Zinc	8¾	9¼	9¼	9¼
Am Zinc pf	31	31	31	31
Anaconda	36	36¾	36	36¾
Arizona Com	7¾	7¾	7	7¼
Atchison T & S Fe	84¾	87¼	87¼	87¼
Atlantic Gulf Co	6	6¼	6	6
Beech Mantoolo Co	55	55	55	55
Boston & Albany	69	69	69	69
Boston & Maine pf	30	30	30	30
B M R pf C B	44	44	44	44
Boston Elevated	63½	63½	63½	63½
Bos Mex Petrol	78	78	78	80
Bos & Arizona	1	1	1	1
Cal & Hecla	247	256	247	256
Canon Hill Min	14	13¾	13¾	14
Copper Range	26	26¾	26	26
Davis-Daly	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
East Butte	5	5	5	5
East Mtg Co	22	22½	22	22
Edison Electric	156	156	155	156
Elec Bond & Share	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
General Electric	122¾	122½	122	122¾
Gen Rio	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Gorton-Pew	8	8	8	8
Gray & Davis	9¾	9¾	9¼	9¼
Greenfield T & D	54½	54½	54	54
Hecla	8	8	8	8
Int Button Co	6½	6½	6½	6½
Int Product Co	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Island Oil	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Isle Royale	13	13	13	13
Lake Copper	2	2	2	2
Libby-McNeill	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Mass Gas	84	84	84	84
Mass Gas pf	60	60½	60	60
Mayflower-Old Colony	4	4	4	4
Mex Invest Co	18¼	19¼	18¾	18¾
Mexican Petrol	154	154½	153	153
Michigan Copper	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Miss River Power	42	42	42	42
Miss River Power pf	81¾	82	80	81½
Nipissing	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
North Butte	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼
North Lake	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Old Dominion	16½	16½	16½	16½
Orpheum Circuit	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Punta Sugar	46½	46½	46½	46½
Quincy	85¾	85¾	85¾	86
Seneca Copper	18	18	18	18
Stanton Copper	80	80	80	80
Standard Mng Corp	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Studebaker	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Superior Copper	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Swift & Co	101¾	101½	101	101¾
Swift International	30	30	29¾	30
United Drug	96	96	96	96
United Drug 1st pf	44	44	44	44
United Fruit Co	119¾	119¾	119	119
U Shoe Mach pf	24	24	24	24
U S Smelting	33½	35	34½	34½
U S Smelting pf	44½	44½	44½	44½
U S Steel	82¾	83¼	82¾	82¾
United Cons	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Utah Metals	1	1	1	1
Ventura Oil	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Waldorf System	17¼	17¼	17	17¼
W E & M	41	42	41	41½
Western Union	84½	84½	84½	84½
W Mt Mch com	97¾	98¼	96¾	96¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

1st 4¼s 1932-47	85.84	86	85.84	86
2d 4¼s 1932-47	85.74	85.74	85.74	85.74
1st 4¼s 1929	89	89.14	89	89.14
1st 4¼s 1938	85.94	85.90	85.76	85.80
Victory Notes 4¾s	99.96	99.96	99.96	99.96
Victory Reg 4¾s	95.12	95.12	95.12	95.12

BONDS.

At Gulf & W I 5s	58	58	55	56
Miss Riv Power 5 7s	75	75	75	75
W Tex & Te 5s	78½	78½	78½	78½

Wall Street Briefs

For the October fiscal year the Cudahy Packing Co. reports net profits of $10,000,000, against sales of $305,937,000 in the previous year. After payment of dividends out of net profits there was a deficit of $2,943,843, against a surplus of $3804934 in the previous year.

During November the operating revenues of the New York, Susquehanna & Western railroad $412,931 and the operating income increased $211,602.

The Producers & Refiners Corporation reports for the three months ended Dec. 31 gross income $1,924,271, net income $1,-[illegible].

November operating revenue of the Long Island road increased $236,336, while the operating deficit amounted to $200,754, a decrease of $8,254.

For the September quarter of last year the Atlantic States Oil Co. reports gross income $2,324,1[illegible], operating expenses $264,-[illegible], net income $1,[illegible], and surplus [illegible] dividends paid $196,884; surplus $1,300,484.

Dividend Declarations

United States Oil Co. declared quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent, ex coupons and payable Feb. 15 to holders of record Jan. 20.

Hamilton Woolen Co. declared semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., payable Jan. 10 to holders of record Dec. 31.

Washington Water Power Co. declared quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent., payable Jan. 15 to holders of record Dec. 24.

Amalgamated Sugar Co. declared quarterly dividend of $2 a share on first preferred, payable Jan. 15 to holders of record Jan. 10.

American Coal Products declared dividend of $2 a share, payable Feb. 1 to holders of record Jan. 15.

Midwest Refining Co. declared extra dividend of $1 a share, both payable Feb. 1 to holders of record Jan. 15.

Standard Motor Construction Co. declared dividend of 2½ per cent, payable Feb. 1 to holders of record Jan. 15.

Atlantic Refining Co. declared quarterly dividend of $1.75 on preferred, payable Feb. 1 to stock of record Jan. 15.

International Nickel Co. declared quarterly 1¾ per cent preferred dividend, payable Feb. 1 to stock of record Jan. 15.

New York Curb

Opening bid and asked prices on the New York Curb today were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Aetna Exp.	1¾	1¾
Amer Av. Oil	17½	17¾
Arizona Com	7	7¼
Booth & Wyoming Oil	2¾	3
Chevenne	1¾	1¾
Chief Oil	1¾	1¾
Consolidated Copper	7	7¼
Cosden	1¾	1¾
Dillingham	1¾	1¾
Elk Basin Petrol	1¾	1¾
Emerald	1¾	1¾
Federal Oil	1¾	1¾
Glenrock Oil	1¾	1¾
Glenn Pool Oil	1¾	1¾
Hudson Motor Car	1¾	1¾
Inca Oil	1¾	1¾
Int Petroleum	1¾	1¾
Kirby Petroleum	1¾	1¾
Lehigh Valley Coal	1¾	1¾
Lehigh Valley Coal pf	1¾	1¾
Maracaibo Oil Exp	1¾	1¾
Marland Refining	1¾	1¾
Merritt Oil	1¾	1¾
Mexican Panuco	1¾	1¾
Mexican Seaboard	1¾	1¾
Midwest Oil	1¾	1¾
Midwest Refining	1¾	1¾
Mountain States Power	1¾	1¾
Mountain States Power pf	1¾	1¾
New Jersey Zinc	1¾	1¾
Nor Am Pulp	1¾	1¾
Ohio Oil	1¾	1¾
Penn Mex Fuel	1¾	1¾
Salt Creek	1¾	1¾
Simms Petroleum	1¾	1¾
Sinclair Oil & Ref	1¾	1¾
Sinclair Oil & Ref pf	1¾	1¾
Southern Pacific	1¾	1¾
Southern Ry	1¾	1¾
Southern Ry pf	1¾	1¾
Stand Oil of Cal	1¾	1¾
Stand Oil of N J	1¾	1¾
Stand Oil of N Y	1¾	1¾
Texas Co	1¾	1¾
Texas Pacific	1¾	1¾
Union Oil	1¾	1¾
Union Pacific	1¾	1¾
Union Pacific pf	1¾	1¾
U S Food Prod	1¾	1¾
U S Rubber	1¾	1¾
U S Rubber 1st pf	1¾	1¾
U S Smelting	1¾	1¾
U S Steel pf	1¾	1¾
Utah Copper	1¾	1¾
Vacuum Oil	1¾	1¾
Wabash pf A	1¾	1¾
Wabash pf B	1¾	1¾
Westinghouse Elec	1¾	1¾
West Union	1¾	1¾
Willys-Overland	1¾	1¾
Willys-Overland pf	1¾	1¾
Woolworth	1¾	1¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Liberty 3½s	82	82	82	82
1st 4s 1932-47	87.38	87.36	87.46	87.36
1st 4s 1st-7-4s	86.80	86.80	86.86	86.86
1st 4¼s 1932-47	85.94	85.90	85.76	85.80
2nd 4¼s 1927	89.14	89.14	89.10	89.14
1st 4¼s 1923	86.80	86.80	85.94	85.80
2nd 4¼s 1927-42	85.76	85.76	85.76	85.80
4th 4¼s	86.80	86.90	86.70	86.80
Victory 3¾	96.02	96.00	96.02	96.00
Victory 4¾	96.96	96.10	96.06	96.10

Boston Curb

Opening prices on the Boston Curb today were:

	Yesterday's Close	Today's Open
Albany	28¾	28¾
Bagdad	2¾	2¾
Bay State Gas	6⅝	6⅝
Boston & Montana	39	39
Chevenne	1¾	1¾
Crystal	3¾	3¾
Eureka	14	14
Eureka So Holly	2¼	2¼
Gadsden	1¾	1¾
Hecla Divide	9	9
Merrimac	8	8
Mutual	1¾	1¾
Palisade	6	6
Tonopah	1¾	1¾
Texas	1¾	1¾
United Verde Ext	22¼	22¼
Verde Mines	2¾	2¾

Boston Firm Changes

The firm of Frank Seabury & Brothers has been dissolved by mutual consent.

Richard Austin has been admitted to membership in the Boston Stock Exchange and becomes a special partner.

Henry G. Lenhan is now a special partner of Brumley, Chamberlin, and Edwin R. Hodge has withdrawn from the firm as a special partner.

Malcolm A. Jackson and Howard S. Harris, formerly with Wise Hobbs & Arnold, have formed a partnership under the firm name of Jackson & Harris, with offices at 84 Devonshire street.

Effective at Nov. 201 Devonshire street, William G. Parsell, Willard A. Smith and Frank Seabury are now members of the firm of Parsell, Smith & Seabury.

Alden C. Towne is now a member of the firm of Elmer H. Bright & Co.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat opened to-day higher to 1¼ lower, corn was to ¼ lower to ¼ higher, oats were ¼ to ¾ lower and provisions ranged from 10 cents lower to 5 cents higher.

Opening prices were: Wheat, May 1.57½; July 1.49¾; corn, May 70¾; July 72¼ to 72⅝; oats, May 50¾ to 50¾; July 46¾; lard, Jan. 13; May 13.50. Ribs, May 12.12.

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Has it reached the saturation point?

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BRITAIN SLATED AS BANKRUPT

London Paper Says U. S. Demand for Cash Is Like Bleeding a Stone

London, Jan. 4—The announcement of Lord Chalmers' approaching visit to Washington to seek an arrangement for the extension of the United States loan to Great Britain has attracted great interest in England.

A frank headline in the Daily Herald reads:

"England Bankrupt; Unable to Pay Her Vast Debt to the United States."

In the story under this headline, the Herald says that "while Uncle Sam is beginning to feel the need of ready cash, it is a case of trying to get blood out of a stone."

The Star issues a warning that America wants a higher rate of interest and does not intend to show any kindness to England.

Experts are agreed that a crisis has been reached in Great Britain's finances. The government is unable to afford an adequate living allowance to a million unemployed, is unable to maintain her naval supremacy and is unable to lift the load of taxation which is responsible for the tremendous slump in England's foreign trade caused by the increasing costs of production.

Business leaders declare that unless the government reduces the country's annual expenditures under all headings to a figure under five billion dollars, that ruin is inevitable.

Deaf Boy Drowns in Rescuing Dog

Northampton, Jan. 4—Harold Abbott, aged fourteen, a deaf mute, was drowned in an effort to save the life of his dog, who had slid off the edge of the ice into Paradise Pond. The animal was rescued. Young Abbott was a pupil at the Clarke School for the Deaf. His father, the Rev. David C. Abbott, a missionary in India, is here on a furlough.

CHURCHES NEED LEADER, SAYS BISHOP GAILOR

"Every church needs a pope; some one in authority, a leader who knows how to steer and how to guide," declared the Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church before the Episcopal ministers of Massachusetts.

"The creed does not make the church, but the church the creed," he said.

Steel Price Average

The average price of eight principal iron and steel products, as quoted by Iron Age, remained unchanged during the past week at $95.34, last year's low point. Six of the eight products are now quoted lower. The government is unable to afford an adequate living allowance to a million unemployed, is unable to maintain her naval supremacy and is unable to lift the load of taxation which is responsible for the tremendous slump in England's foreign trade caused by the increasing costs of production.

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Mohawk Passes Dividend

New York, Jan. 4.—The directors of the Mohawk Mining Co. have passed the usual quarterly dividend due at this time, which ordinarily is $1.00 and six months was $3.50 were paid.

Deposits Increase

Deposits in the banks of the Federal Reserve system increased $200,000,000 during the week ended December 29, according to the weekly statement issued by the Federal Reserve Board today. Loans increased $100,000,000 and investments $100,000,000.

CRACK BOXERS SHOW WARES IN DOUBLE WINDUP AT ARMORY

BANTAMS BOX FOR TITLE

Friedman Tackles Young Montreal; Clinton Takes on Frankie Schoell

By RINGSIDE.

Three of New England's best boxers perform tonight for the Armory Club at Mechanics Building—Abe Friedman, Young Montreal and Johnny Clinton. All three have been imported, but now register from this section, and, we presume, pack as much local pride as is customary with knights of the equilateral circle.

Friedman and Montreal are the two leading contenders for the New England bantamweight title, and incidentally as good as any of the boxers now on the trail of Champion Joe Lynch. Their quarrel tonight will, if it's decisive, put the victor in line for a crack at the title owner. Said bout is likely to be quite a while coming, as Lynch, having just collected the coronet, is likely to be very careful of it, but that's neither here nor there. Ten rounds should furnish sufficient quarreling to give a pretty good line on the better of the two boys.

Clinton Opposed by Frankie Schoell

The other would-be champ, J. Clinton, is a bit too tough for local competition, so Frankie Schoell has been brought along to meet him. Frankie is a tough egg, and should keep the most persistent challenger of Benny Leonard quite busy. These two boys make up as classy a show as any of the local clubs have offered in quite a while.

Two feature bouts for one admission is an innovation heralded and may indicate a trend toward better shows in the new year. A couple of eight-rounders will precede the large mixups.

BOBBY JOSEPHS PROVES TOMMY REAGAN'S MASTER

Bobby Josephs of the South End nipped Eass Boston Tommy Reagan's comeback in the bud in the main bout of the Carlyle Club's card opening by a wide margin. Tommy won the before-the-battle argument over the weight, lacking a pound of forfeit, as the latter carried a little excess poundage, but that is about all the advantage scored by the East Boston boxer.

In the eighth round Josephs dropped Reagan to the mat, but the latter was up on the count of nine and managed to stay the rest of the distance. Reagan did some good boxing at times, but it was the fighting South End boy's rugged attack, and after the fifth stayed along chiefly through his gameness.

Young Jake Kilrain defeated Ed Kelly of Providence in two rounds, and Kelly's defeated Tom Connors in one round. Nixie Searles put out Buck O'Brien in the second minute in the first round. Spike Hennessey defeated Charley Flannagan in six rounds.

PREDICTS SHEVLIN WILL KNOCK OUT NATE SIEGAL

"Eddie Shevlin will knock out Nate Siegal if he ever gets the New England welterweight champion to enter a ring with him. That's why Siegal is dodging a meeting with the Roxbury puncher."

So said Billy Henderson, manager of Shevlin, today.

A glance at Shevlin's record during the past few months bears out what he says. He is a whole lot to what Shevlin's manager says. Roxbury Eddie has stopped Eddie McAndrews, Mickey Donovan and Johnny McLaughlin. He has also won recent decisions over Johnny Summers, Al Allentown Johnny Dundee, Paddy Flynn and Siegal.

Siegal apparently won't be considered a real champion until he proves he is Shevlin's master. There are a whole lot of persons well versed in ring affairs who don't believe he is capable of performing this task.

IRISH PADDY FLYNN TO BATTLE AT QUINCY

"Irish Paddy" Flynn of Everett will try to continue his gay ring surge when he clashes with Billy Carney of New Bedford in a ten-round bout at the Quincy Boxing Club Thursday night. Flynn has been going on high of late. He first walloped Johnny Summers, A. A. A. welterweight champion, and then stepped out front and won over Joey Connolly of Charlestown. Carney, however, isn't worrying a whole lot about the outcome of Thursday night's scrap. The Whaler has been traveling on high himself and believes he carries too many guns for him. Speech-wise and Flynn are both aggressive, take-a-chance fighters, the fans should witness plenty of action.

McCARTHY CONFIDENT OF DOWNING AJAX

Patsy McCarthy is satisfied that when he gets through with Tony Ajax on Thursday night at the Grand Opera House, the Californian will be about ready to take a long rest. "I have been tackling all comers all season with a carnival," chirped the Irish wrestler, "and believe me, taking on even such a tough bird as they tell me Ajax is will be like dessert after a hearty meal.

"Tony is a bear, I'm told, but so was Kilonis until he was taught his place that night in the mix-up at the Grand. While I do not look for the same kind of a finish, still one cannot tell what may happen."

Basketball Results

J. J. Chittick (K. of C.) 31, Sharon A. C. 18.

Shepard Post 30, Wamsutta Club 20.

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I CANT PAY ONE BUCK HER HONOR I ONLY HAVE A 10 SPOT
HUH-YOU CANT FOOL ME BUDDY-GET OUT ME 10
CURSES
W-E-L-L HERES NINE SINGLES-GIMME THAT SAW BUCK-YOU CANT FOOL ME!
THAT DUMB BELL THOUGHT HE WAS SMART DIDNT HE-HA-HA-I'LL WIN TO FOOL YOU
HUH-I GONE HUH THE CHANGE DIDNT I?-HERES HIS TEN SPOT
JUDGE IT'S A PHONEY-I DETECT A TEN PASTED OVER THE ONE SPOT
FATHER, CUT YOUR BOWLS, YOURE TEARING ALL THE SHEETS

GOTHAM SOCCER STARS TO VISIT

Robins Dry Docks to Play Fore River Team in Big Cup Competition

New England soccer enthusiasts, for the first time in years, will be given an opportunity to see one of the big New York teams in action, when the Robins Dry Dock outfit comes up to Quincy to play Fore River in the fifth round of the National Cup competition. The drawings were made last week.

The Fore River team is now the logical choice of New England for national honors. Last year it was pioneered the State Cup, reached the semi-finals in the American Cup and the final of the National Cup, there by becoming the Eastern champions.

Thus far this season they have won fifteen, lost one, and played one tie. They have scored sixty-one goals against seven by their opponents.

The Robins are considered among the classiest players in this country. After defeating the Fore team in a replay of the fourth round for the National Cup, 5 to 3, the latter outfit lodged a protest. If the protest is sustained, the game will be replayed. The winner will play Fore River at Quincy before April 10th of this month.

In the meantime the final of the State Cup between the Hendee Indians of Springfield and Fore River will probably be played off. President Sinclair of the State Association is planning to have the game played at Worcester next Saturday.

VICTORY JUBILEE FOR WINNING HARVARD TEAMS

A victory jubilee is being arranged by the Harvard Club for the entertainment of the members of the Harvard football, baseball, hockey and crew men who carried the Crimson to victories over Yale in 1920. Only the track team has been left out in the cold, as it was the only major outfit to go down to defeat before the Elis.

The date has been set at January 13. The Harvard Band will be there to supply the music. Dean Briggs will award the letters, and the committee has arranged a fine list of surprises for the blushing athletes.

ST. PHILIP'S SHOW TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets for the St. Philip's Athletic Association open amateur boxing tournament which will be held in Scenic Temple for boys in the 105-115-125 and 146 pound classes this evening, January 7, are now ready for distribution. They may be obtained from John Nowell, chairman of the boxing committee, at 6 East Springfield street, Boston, or from the box office at Scenic Temple.

HAND OVER DAVIS CUP TO AMERICAN PLAYERS

Auckland, N. Z., Jan. 4.—The Davis Cup was formally handed over to Captain Hardy of the victorious United States lawn-tennis team at a banquet Admiral Jellicoe, Governor of New Zealand, and Premier Massey were guests of honor. Speeches were made by the American players.

INSURANCE QUINTETS MEET NEXT SATURDAY

The Insurance League swings back to playing afternoons of Saturdays at the Boston Y. M. C. A. Next Saturday's games are: Employers Liability Assurance Corp. vs. Kaler, Karney & Hoffer Co., Gilmour Rothery Co. vs. John C. Paige Co., and R. E. Hoffman & Co. vs. Field & Cowles.

To Number Boxers

New York, Jan. 4.—Boxers in the amateur bouts now in progress at Madison Square Garden have been numbered. The numerals were decentralized by the large number of boys participating.

Store Fives to Resume

The Department Store League, after a few weeks' layoff, will continue the season playing Thursday night, R. H. White Company vs. C. F. Hovey Company and Gilchrist vs. William Filene Son's Company.

Stories of Famous Fights

How Jeff Won the Title

This is the first of a series of "Finishes of Old Time Fights," written by authorities on pugilism, who were famous in their day. Others will follow. The story today describes the eleventh round of the fim Jeffries-Bob Fitzsimmons battle at the Coney Island Athletic Club, June 9, 1899. It was in this round that Jeffries knocked out the Cornishman and won the heavyweight championship of the world.

By RIGHT CROSS,
Per PAUL ARMSTRONG

Fitz came to the centre as willingly as Jeffries. He never faltered. And in this last battle he proved his gameness as he never did before. Jeff, with the same lazy caution and long, sneaky, left-hand feints, came in, shifted to the left, broke ground, worked in again and drew a left-hand lead.

He blocked it and came into the clinch with a furious right-hand jolt over the heart. He broke, feinting again, and Fitzsimmons tried the right. It missed. Then came the left. It was blocked. Again Jeff feinted at the body. Then he stabbed it once. Then up came that awful left hook to the jaw. Then, like a flash, back came the arm, then out straight as a piston rod full to Fitzsimmons' jaw.

Blow Shakes Fitz to Heels

It shook Fitz to his heels. His knees bent and his hands dropped from position. Jeff, who had stepped back, threw up the left arm as a block and shot in. The right, from a half-arm position, went straight to the jaw.

Fitzsimmons fell like a dead man. His back struck, then his shoulders, with a bang, then his head with a thud. His outstretched arms flopped down beside him. Jeff looked at him and, rubbing his nose with the thumb of his right glove, stepped back, then strolled over to the ropes, all the time watching him from the corner of his eye.

At the count of ten a throaty cheer went up which announced the new champion. In a second from either corner came men like ants. Brady, with one wild, happy cry, threw his arms about Jeff's neck. Then came Delaney, then Jack (Jeffries' brother), then Ryan. Hundreds of hands were outstretched toward the corner. A thousand voices cheered.

Crowd Soon Forgets Beaten Man

In the other corner there was a different scene. Three men who had known the champion long and liked him well picked Fitz up and carried him to the chair. They worked hurriedly to bring him back to consciousness. No one noticed him nor them; they were but the seconds of a defeated champion; he but a heavyweight.

Jim Jeffries is by long odds the greatest heavyweight fighter the world has ever seen. There is no man today who has a chance with him. He has demonstrated that he can beat Sharkey. McCoy is too light. Maher would be one real good thing. Ruhlin is not in his class.

He gave the public a perfect performance, and is a sort of man who may always be depended upon. There is no boastfulness about him. He is honest to his last breath. He is modest and, best of all, he is a thorough-going American and a real good fellow.

SPORT EDITORIAL

By GILL

Wilson and the Fight Fans

The average fight fan is a funny bug—a knocker and a booster—a "wise-hopper" and a kick all combined.

Here's a sample.

Johnny Wilson was the most abused title holder in the history of the ring, but—

The Charlestown champion went to New York for the holidays to visit his old folks.

He met several of the sporting fraternity who had been roasting him to the Queen's taste and politely informed them that Mr. Michael O'Dowd could have a battle for the title any time and anywhere.

Wilson also promised the former champion a nice respectable split in the matter of a purse.

Wilson's worst knockers are now his best boosters. Johnny is again established and a return with his old rival is only a matter of a few weeks.

Would Not Let Man Catching Pass Run

Coach Zuppke of Illinois has an interesting restriction to offer in regard to the forward pass. In his win F. W. Moore, graduate manager of the Harvard Athletic Association, Zuppke advocated that the receiver of a completed forward pass be not allowed to run with the ball. In this way, Zuppke pointed out a touchdown which results from a successful forward passed, and which gives a team victory which it does not deserve, would be nearly impossible. Illinois was beaten in the last seconds of play by Ohio State on just such a play.

Roller Polo Results

New Bedford 6, Worcester 4.
Hartford 5, Lowell 4.
Providence 2, Fall River 2.

Lee Fohl to Manage St. Louis Browns

St. Louis, Jan. 4.—Lee A. Fohl of Cleveland will be the 1921 manager of the St. Louis Americans. This announcement was made by Bob Quinn, business manager of the Browns. Fohl telegraphed his acceptance of the Browns' offer saying he would be here January 11 to sign a contract.

The position had been tendered George J. Stallz, the club's first baseman, but he refused it, saying he feared the responsibility would interfere with his playing.

Connie Goes South

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—Connie Mack has left for Lake Charles, La., to get the training camp ready for the Athletics.

CASEYS TO PLAY ALL-STARS

West End Council Clashes With Newport Team at K. of C. Hall, Somerville, Tonight

NEWPORT.		CASEYS.
Harvey, r.f.		l.b., Grant
Nolan, l.f.		r.b., Dolan
Martin, c.		c., Silva
Kinney, r.b.		l.b., Murphy
McGrath, l.b.		r.f., Costello

The Newport All-Stars will oppose the West End K. of C. quintet tonight at K. of C. Hall, Highland avenue, Somerville. Flo Harvey, coach of Brown University, is player-manager of the All-Stars and when he speaks in town it usually means a reunion of all old-time basketball followers.

Flo has been in the game now for the last twenty years and is still the star he was in the days of the old Newport Naval Reserve five. He and his other forward, Nolan, have large personal followings in this State, as the Caseys have picked a good attraction.

The Caseys will use their regular lineup of Costello and Murphy, forwards; Silva, centre; Grant, Dolan and O'Connell, guards. Last week the Boys from the West End won by one point, thereby keeping their record clean, and if they win from the Newport team they will be considered with the best quintets in New England.

BANK QUINTETS START UP AT Y. M. C. A. TONIGHT

The Bank Basketball League opens its season at the Boston Y. M. C. A. tonight. The American Trust Company has entered the league, making it a six-team organization. Tonight's games are: First National Bank vs. State Street Trust Company; Old Colony Trust Company vs. National Shawmut Bank and Commonwealth Trust Company vs. American Trust Company.

TOWNSEND ADVANCES IN CHECKER TITLE PLAY

Victor Townsend went into the third round of the tournament for the championship of State checker championship by putting out of the running William Holden. Townsend won two matches and drew three. Hugh McKean and Frank Barnes would, the first round with victories over Harry Phillips and W. O. Finchney respectively.

SHONO COLLINS TO LEAD COLLINS CLUB BOWLERS

Pittsfield, Jan. 4—John (Shono) Collins, the White Sox outfielder, was made captain of the Collins Club bowling team. The team is to bowl one capsaday by Edward Saddler, January 12, the prize being a steak dinner.

TORONTO UNIVERSITY BEATS QUAKER CITY

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—Toronto University defeated the Quaker City seven, 4 to 0, in a fast hockey game at the Ice Palace. The visitors outplayed the local men all through the game.

Western Favors Draft

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 1.—Western Association baseball magnates will make an excellent showing and is busy preparing them for their initial test.

N. H. STATE FIVE REPORTS TO COACH

Durham, N. H., Jan. 4.—Candidates for the New Hampshire State College basketball team reported for practice today. Six letter men came out.

Basketball Notes

Boston Y. M. C. A. varsity will meet Wilbur High School at Winthrop next Wednesday evening.

Boston Y. M. C. A. varsity will play a league game at Fall River Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night. Boston will have several new men in the line up.

Northeastern College night Rates at Lexington, Me., Friday, and the University of Maine at Orono, Me., Saturday.

HOCKEY OUTFITS TO BE TAGGED

Arena Players Must Wear Numerals to Give Fans Run for Their Money

By CHARLES E. PARKER.

All hockey players performing on the new Boston Arena will wear numbers and will be listed on the program with the numbers assigned them, according to plans inaugurated by George V. Brown, manager of the new rink.

Already the United States Hockey Association has made the employment of numbers a league rule; Yale, Princeton, Dartmouth, Tech and Boston College have made a practice of adorning the backs of their hockey jerseys with numeral identification marks; Canadian professional, amateur and college ice teams also have formed the habit of aiding spectators in following the players as well as the play, and the two or three teams appearing on the Arena list who have not heretofore employed this practice are expected to fall in line with Manager Brown's plan.

Dick Humphrey Likely Defence Man for Harvard

Dick Humphrey, the Harvard varsity halfback, who played such a prominent part in the Harvard-Yale game, appears a likely candidate for one of the defence positions on the Crimson hockey team.

The loss of Stubbs and Walker who played point and coverpoint for Harvard last year, presented a problem to Bill Claflin, the Crimson coach. That George Owen, also of football fame and captain of last season's freshman seven, would probably fill one of the vacated positions seemed a certainty, but until Humphrey appeared as a candidate many believed that Claflin's premier would have much difficulty in easily filling the other outer defence berth. Humphrey was a star hockey player at Milton and on his freshman team, but until this season has not been a candidate for the 'Varsity.

Three All-Collegiate Stars on King's College Team

Captain Parnell, T. H. Winter and G. White, all members of the King's College championship which plays the Tech septet on Friday night and the Harvard varsity on Saturday, won positions on the Boston All-Star team both times last year, and with their mates are said to comprise the speediest outfit ever to represent Canada's oldest college.

King's College, by the way, is known as Canada's Harvard. It was founded in 1159, during the reign of George III, and a number of prominent men prominent in world affairs. Basil King, the author and playwright; Dr. William Osler, Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, and Free man H. Allen, a member of the Supreme Canadian Club, are three King's College men well known to Boston. Newport Reserve is the name of the college that 82 per cent. of its undergraduate body saw active service during the war—the largest and greatest record made by any Canadian institution.

Unicorns and Boston College to Stage Practice Game

This evening will see the teams of Boston College and the B. A. A. in their initial workouts on the Arena surface. Captain Leon Tuck, with his huge bevy of ice stars and a desire to give each candidate full opportunity to show his worth, has a difficult task before him in choosing his final selections, and the fight for B. A. A. positions, which starts tonight, should be a hot one, to say the least.

Coach Fred Rocque of B. C. is as yet unfamiliar with the material with which he will pilot his team this season. He saw several of his candidates in action at the B. C. aggregation last season, but will not know until he looks over the squad tonight the strength of Eddie Mac Donald's team for this season. Captain Hughes of B. C. is his outstanding star, but the return of Ed Griffin and Gallagher from last season will make much promise and that B. C. will win a place in every game is what is anticipated in football is the confident expectation of those who know Rocque's ability as a coach.

EVEN 100 CANDIDATES FOR HARVARD TRACK

One hundred candidates for the Harvard-Cornell indoor half of which are freshmen, have reported to Coaches Pooch Donovan and Eddie Farrell Hegarty, practice started immediately. The ultimate goal of the Winter season is the Harvard-Dartmouth-Cornell track meet February 19 in the Mechanics building.

In addition to Captain Dennis O'Connell, Coach Donovan will have the following veterans around whom to form a team: Goodrich, sprinter and jumper; George Krogness, hurdler and jumper, and Dick Chute, quarter miler.

HUNTINGTON NATATOR FACES OLD TEAMMATES

George Alger, former Brookline High School swimming champion, will be one of those who will seek to down his old school in Friday night's swimming meet between English High and Huntington, at the Huntington School tank.

Coach Griffin of English, however, is confident that his natators will make an excellent showing and is busy preparing them for their initial test.

Peninsula Y. C. Elects

The following officers have been elected by the Peninsula Yacht Club: Commodore, Oscar Bostedt; vice-commodore, John Goddard; financial secretary, Michael Gallagher; recording secretary, Harry E. Grafton; treasurer, R. F. Graves; fleet captain, Charles Hills.

Racing

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Devonite, One Pin, Loyellect.
2—Assume, Jaggs, The Portsgrave.
3—Tyrot, Oilcloth, Rising Rock Thimble.
4—Wyoming, Pickwick, Bullet Proof.
5—Marvin May, The Wit, Gain de Cause.
6—Harvest King, Warsaw, Lord Herbert.
7—K. C. Beach, Carsen, Glenwell.

Bugs Baer Says

LEEDING THE WORLD

PROFESSOR has just spotted new planet 27,000,000 times bigger than the spots on the sun. Distance sounds like another war loan to Europe. It's so far away that it is out of the high rent district.

WE discover everything. Course we lend it to somebody else, but we discover it.

COLUMBUS discovered this salt lake, but Woody discovered a whole league of 'em. We're a democracy, which means that every citizen is born with a pat hand.

BUT even in royalty the U. S. Leeds the world.

OLD man Leeds made a washboiler full of jack out of tin pie plates. He was a rough American who wore red flannel underwear in Winter, night and day. He could never figure why Rodin's statue of a pie playing squat tag should be called The Thinker.

NOW the Leeds family is buying the state's rights to the Greek throne and will soon have a royal Chicagoan on the Athens throne. They have secured the retail royalty rights to Corfu and have made an offer to the Kaiser, if he makes good he will get split-weeks on the Pantages circuit.

CORFU is an island like Cuba. An island is a body of American tourists surrounded by water. A continent is the same body of American tourists surrounding water.

GOVERNMENT has made great strides in America.

FIRST we had the monarchial. Then we had the democratic form. Now we have the compulsory.

ALL our great corporation families have branches in Europe's royalty. Over in that hemisphere they think a check book is the man of America.

IMPOSSIBLE to figure how the Leeds can be happy on an island that sounds so much like carfew. They have so much money they can live like Cubans, which is great in Greece, but only about five minutes in Russia.

THEY will have to watch the Kaiser, who calls himself the Second Consul. Don't know whether that title is stolen from Napoleon or from the famous ape.

CAN'T tell what will happen to the Leeds family in royalty but we will always be ready to recognize their descendants here if they can read and pass the trachoma test.

12 HARVARD HOCKEY PLAYERS IN TRAINING

Twelve players formed the Harvard hockey training table which started this morning. Eight of them have won their letters. The varsity players are Captain Ned Crowell, Bobbie Emmons, Henry Smalling, Mack Swann, Don Angier, Charles Baker, Roger Hamlin, John Martin, Carl Ed Ell Stillman, Josiah Holmes and George Fiske. Coach Farrell will be on hand this time. Since then they have been actively identified with the Furnman M. B. Church.

Cochran's passion for diamonds led him to have these big diamonds inserted on teeth on each side of his mouth. He wore a platinum and diamond watch chain and his shirt studs were three-carat stones. His watch was set with thirteen and one-half-carat stones in the shape of a horseshoe. Harry Lehr diamonds adorned each button of his vest.

Farrell Candidate

Syracuse, Jan. 4.—John H. Farrell of Auburn, secretary and treasurer of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, and known as the walking encyclopaedia of baseball is the likely candidate for the post of secretary to Federal Judge Landis, baseball's new czar, commission, it became known here.

BOTHNER PICKED AS REFEREE

Veteran Official to Be the Third Man in Ring With Lewis and Gardini

George Bothner of New York will be the third man in the ring when Strangler Lewis and Renato Gardini clash in their title wrestling match at Mechanics Building Thursday night under the direction of Lou Dero. Bothner is a veteran official and at one time was rated with the world's leading wrestlers. He refereed the Stecher-Lewis contest in New York. He was also master of ceremonies when Stecher and Gardini clashed at Polo Grounds in New York last November.

The selection of Bothner came after a conference between Promoter Dero and representatives of the two wrestlers. With the hour for the match's heavyweight wrestling championship, it was deemed best to have the foremost referee in the country in charge of affairs.

Gardini Sure to Give Champion a Battle

Lewis will arrive in Boston tomorrow and will do some light training here so that he will be set at his best when he enters the ring against the Italian idol at Mechanics Building Thursday night. The champion has not permitted himself to get out of condition since he won his title by defeating Stecher last month and he will be able to show at his best.

The strangler will require all of his remarkable strength and skill to retain his title as Gardini is one of the game's leading wrestlers. He gave Stecher a bitter battle for two hours and also made things mighty uncomfortable for Stanislaus Zbyszko, whom he held to a draw here recently.

Judging by the demands for reservations at Promoter Dero's headquarters at the American House and at the Little Building a capacity crowd will witness the mill.

DARTMOUTH DEFEATED IN ROUGHHOUSE GAME

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Rochester defeated Dartmouth, 19 to 17, in a basketball game that became a roughhouse in the last ten minutes. Both teams played on even terms in the first half, the score being 9 to 8 at the close of the period. The local collegians pulled ahead at the start of the second half, but Miller, who played a star game for the Green, kept the visitors in the running with a pair of pretty field baskets.

Dartmouth became desperate in the last half and many of the fouls were committed, and resort to a succession of long shots that did not count. Rochester's marksman had a competent foul-shooter. The New York team made nine baskets in a total of twenty-one.

VOLUNTEER YACHT CLUB AGAIN PICKS HANSON

Members of the Volunteer Yacht Club of Lynn voted to support a house committee recommendation for an expenditure of $3,000 to buy land adjoining the club at their annual meeting last night. Harry Parsons was elected commodore; Edward B. Arbing, vice-commodore, and a regatta committee of Charles Capen, Edward Moran, Albert Brown, John Duggan and Eugene Hilsard was named. The new house committee will be William Burke, Michael Donovan and William Thomas. Oscar Dowling was elected secretary; James Pettipas is treasurer, and Frank Chase, measurer.

Diamonds Taken From Ex-Sport's Teeth

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Denizhia here removed one and one-half carat diamonds from the teeth of George T. Cochran, wealthy Syracuse sportsman, former baseball fan which started and the only rival of the late "Diamond Jim" Brady of New York.

Cochran retired from sporting circles at the height of his career on the trail at the first revival held here by Billy Sunday. His wife was converted at the same time. Since then they have been actively identified with the Furnman M. B. Church.

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Ruth Asks Early Start to Get in Shape

New York, Jan. 4.—Babe Ruth believes that a champion should keep in the best of physical condition if he wants to continue to be a champion.

As the Babe is the world's premier home run hitter, he applies this rule to himself in order to start the 1921 season in the proverbial "pink," he has today asked Business Manager Ed Barrow of the Yankees to send him to Hot Springs, Ark., with the advance guard of pitchers.

Ruth took on some weight during his trip to Cuba. He accumulated quite a girth in fact, and he wants to remove it, though he says he is not worried about the weight he has picked up.

"I don't believe in being at my lowest weight when the season starts," said Ruth. "A few extra pounds gives a fellow a reserve that guards against staleness later on in the season."

Ruth added that he will do a bit of pitching at Hot Springs. He doesn't mean to lose his knack of pitching, even though he is now a regular outfielder with home-run records to his credit.

Incidentally Ruth will have a new pair of gardens in the field with him next season if the present plans of Manager Huggins do not miscarry. Bobby Veach of the Senators will play on one side of the home-run king and, if a deal the Yankees have on foot is put through, it is quite possible that Bobby Veach will be the third member of the Yankee garden-ing trio.

As Ruth is a hitter of great ability himself and Veach, even better with the bludgeon, the Yankees will have a murderous outfield providing they can lead Veach. The Tiger outfielder hit eleven home run and batted .367 last season. Ruth hit nine homers and built up an average of .376.

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This Day in History—January 4, 1921

THIS is the anniversary of the landing of the first Englishman, William Dampier, on the coast of Australia, in 1688. He made four trips around the world and wrote several interesting books on his travels.

Venus the Glorious

THE planet Venus, now just passing from Capricornus into Aquarius, sets about 8 o'clock, after glowing with extraordinary beauty in the sunset sky from the first shade of twilight. She is several times brighter than Sirius.

A Daughter of Two Worlds

A Romance of Vivid Personality and Swift and Exciting Adventure

By Leroy Scott

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CHAPTER XXX.—Continued.

SHE received him in the drawing room. He was in as smart and correct afternoon dress as could be seen in New York, and he advanced upon her smiling his friendly smile and holding out his hand. She took the hand. It was not her nature, when they were alone, to waste time on conversation which should work around indirectly to the point.

"Well, what is it?" she demanded. "What's the hurry, Jennie?" he protested. "Give me a chance to say how-do-you-do and how's your health."

"I want to finish and get around to Mrs. Shipman's. What is it?"

His eyes wandered about the large room with its wide doorways, then came back to her. "It's a bit personal, something we'd both rather keep private—oh, nothing to be worried about. Couldn't we talk it over where we might not have an unexpected audience?"

She led him to her sitting-room, and he closed the door. "Well?" she demanded when they were seated.

"May I Smoke?"

"May I smoke?" he inquired.

"You know you may."

He took from an inner coat pocket a thin gold case delicately shaped to fit the chest unbulgingly, and held it opened to her. She shook her head. With easy deliberation he helped himself, reinged the case and lighted the cigarette. His graceful deliberation was intended so to be.

"Well?" she demanded once more.

He regarded her with the frank open smile of old friends. Then he nodded. "Well, Jennie, you've certainly reached the very top—are settled there solidly—up where only the big people grow."

"It wasn't to tell me that that you asked me to break an engagement," she returned. "Please begin with whatever you're here about."

"It's because I realized that you were so solidly at the top that I thought I'd better come." He was still smiling his friendly but unperturbable smile at her. "But if you want me to begin, perhaps the way to begin is to go back six or eight months. You remember the night—that we had late that night out on the drive at Silver Bluffs—the night you showed up Gloria Raymond and Gloria and I were ordered off the premises?"

"Of course!" She instantly sensed that, pleasant though his manner was, Slim was playing with her. "Out with it, Slim—what are you here for?"

"And you will recall," he went on, ignoring her imperative question, "that you asked why I helped you stage that little domestic drama that showed me up in the last scene as the villain of the piece. You will recall that I said I did it to help you appear the heroine and reap the heroine's reward. And you will recall that I said I also had other reasons for doing it—big reasons—reasons pertaining to the general well-being of Mr. Slim Jackson—that I couldn't tell you what they were until the time had come. The time has come for me to tell you those other reasons—or a part of them. That's why I'm here."

"Go on," she ordered.

He still smiled; his voice was even bland—confidentially friendly. "One of the reasons was that I saw it wouldn't have been to my particular advantage for Gloria Raymond to have married Kenneth. Wouldn't have been good for it all, since I shouldn't have figured in it in any way and neither party would have been under any obligation to me. I suppose that's clear enough, Jennie?"

"Yes."

"I had stood up the situation, and I saw that with Gloria out of the game, you'd be certain to land Kenneth. Since you wouldn't join up with me, the next best proposition for me was to help marry you to Kenneth. You're honest I'm being with you, Jennie? I figured that if through my help you married Kenneth, and made a success of it, you'd always feel under some sort of obligation to me. And it all worked out exactly as I figured—except that you've gone even higher than I counted."

Slim Had Willed It.

Jennie recognized that what he spoke was the truth, even though he was telling her only part of the truth. He was telling it very partly because Slim had so willed it. She began to fill with sickness, with humiliation, as on that night when he had told her an earlier installment of the part that he had played, and when the glory of personal achievement had gone from her. But she controlled her facilities.

"I understand all that," she said calmly. "But that concerns the past, I'm more interested in the present."

"So am I. But I had to tell about the past in order to explain, give a reasonable basis to, the present. It's like this: My show's taking in a lot at the box, but it's an awfully expensive production, and I'm really losing money every week. You know I've had to keep Doris Dorraine on as my dancing partner; and she's the same as when I saw you last Summer—not up to the level. Besides, I've guessed wrong on some stocks. I'm up against it, Jennie: I need a loan. Do I make myself clear?"

"Perfectly clear," she said with unflinching eyes. "This seems to be a little case of blackmail. I wonder how many women you've held up, and in how many different ways? It's a grand little game — blackmail!"

"Old friends shouldn't use such an unpleasant word," he replied, his amiable tone unchanged by her sharp directness. "I merely said 'loan.' Naturally, I cannot promise when I will repay the loan. Of course, instead of calling it a loan, I might legitimately regard it as a straight commission on business transacted."

"It's blackmail!" she exclaimed.

"It's a loan, or a commission," he corrected amiably.

"It's blackmail!" she repeated.

"Let's not waste time, Jennie, arguing over such minor details as the color of a person's eyes or the exact word to be applied to a set of circumstances. Whatever the word may be, that doesn't alter the character of my need. I need money."

"And if I say I can't give you any money—what then?"

They gazed at each other steadily and in silence for a long moment. Then Slim remarked gravely:

"It would be too bad, wouldn't it, if it became known that Mrs. Kenneth Harrison, the great social favorite and protege of Mrs. Shipman, was in reality the daughter of Black Jerry Malone and was the Jennie Malone who was wanted by the police as a forger."

She had sensed that he was headed toward this; nevertheless, his cool, level statement came as a definite shock. She realized how far-seeing he had been; how craftily he had waited until she had reached a place which he thought she would pay any price rather than lose. And it came upon her that his cleverness and her own ambition and weakness had led to events had placed her entirely in his power. He could destroy her with a word, if he so wished.

"So it is sure enough blackmail," she breathed—"backed up with a threat of exposure."

"Let's not talk that way, Jennie," he protested in his pleasant, velvety voice. "You know I don't want to expose you; I'd rather have you stay up where you are. I just need some money—that's all there is to it."

She recognized her helplessness and the futility of argument. How much?"

"I ought to have ten thousand. In cash, of course."

"Ten thousand! I have no money of my own—dad's stepped sending me any. Even if I had ten thousand no way I could get ten thousand."

"You have no end of ways, my dear," he replied her evenly. "There's Kenneth."

"I couldn't ask Kenneth for any such sum as that!" she exclaimed. "There's nothing plausible I could ask it for."

"Oh, yes, there is. You could say you wanted to buy a necklace—jewels. He would loosen up. You could give me most of it, and with the balance you could buy some decent-looking fakes. It only cost a few hundreds. Don't give me any credit for this idea, Jennie; it's an old one and the sons of women have used on their husbands."

She shook her head. "I couldn't do that—not with Kenneth."

"All right, we'll pass up Kenneth. But you can easily get the money in another quarter. Handle him right, and Mr. Shipman will pass it right over to you."

She colored. "Mr. Shipman! What do you mean, Slim Jackson?" she demanded.

"Isn't my meaning perfectly obvious?"

"Say what it is that you mean!"

He shrugged his shoulders. "When a man like Mr. Shipman, and with a reputation such as his, confers such a great advantage upon the husband of a pretty young woman, the said man has usually made a pleasant little arrangement with the said pretty young wife—but why say more, Jennie?"

"You Believe That?"

"You—you believe that!" she gasped.

"It happens that I can't believe anything else, Jennie. And if he's done that much for you, he'll certainly do a lot more."

"It's a lie!" she flamed at him. "And you can cut out that kind of talk, Slim Jackson! That's not my kind of business!"

"All right—all right—it was only a suggestion." His manner and voice were unperturbed. "There are still other ways you may prefer. That phony letter of Gloria Raymond's you put across—remember, that night you cut out that kind of talk, showed you are still as clever with the pen as ever. You always were a natural born wonder, you know. You can easily fix up a check, and take it out of some party that'll never miss the dough."

"I'm not going to do that either!" she replied sharply.

"All right. These are only suggestions to you, you know. We'll pass on. Now, there's Black Jerry. He's spent a lot of coin, and worked hard, to get you up here. Rather than have everything go to smash, I think Jerry would rustle around and dig up the necessary coin."

To Be Continued Tomorrow

A Dog's Life

By NELL BRINKLEY

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JOHN and Lisette are newly married—newly come into the Garden of Paradise—that is not lost (that Garden) because there is dust and desert where once it bloomed—not lost, but scattered over all the world—a bit of it here and a bit of it there—so that all of us—you and I and Lisette and John—may have a bit of it in our small square of the round world we live in—newly come into the Garden—so happy with the acquiring of one another, so happy because John doesn't have to go home at half-past ten any more, so happy to play and laugh and love together and know that no one can . . . and yet, they lead a "dog's life!" Because John has brought home some pups in his Scotch wool overcoat—not because love is a failure and John and Lisette are a-weary.

For "Mack" and "Willy" read the books and magazines by eating them and DIGESTING them before John and Lisette have read the stories in them; they dig the buttons out of the upholstered couch; they hide their horrible bones under Lisette's lace-edged pillows of down that she lays her sunny head down on—beside John's; they carry embarrassing apparel into the living room and lay it out at the feet of easily overcome company; they chew the corners of Lisette's monogrammed tablecloths; they eat John's slippers alive; they pull Lisette's pad-about slippers off her little feet and then nibble her ankles until John gets stern and says, "You have to make them realize you mean it, you know," and bats them with a newspaper, and they think it's another romp.

John and Lisette are leading a dog's life, but it isn't because Lisette's a shrew and John's a miser perhaps, and the world of love's awry!

—NELL BRINKLEY.

The Inside of the Cup

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By Winston Churchill

Author of "Richard Carvel," "The Crisis" and Many Other Novels of World-Wide Popularity

CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued

"THEY were human, literal and cowardly, and they still need some kind of inner, energizing conviction that the individuality persisted after death, that the solution of human life was victory over it, in order to gain the courage to go out and preach the Gospel and face death themselves. And it was Paul who was chiefly instrumental in freeing the message from the narrow bounds of Palestine and sending it ringing down the ages to us. The miracle doesn't lie in what Paul saw, but in the whole man transformed, made incandescent, journeying tirelessly to the end of his days up and down the length and breadth of the empire, laboring, as he says, more abundantly than they all. It is idle to say that the thing which can transform a man's entire nature and life is not a reality."

She had listened, motionless, as under the spell of his words. Self-justification, as he proceeded, might easily have fused itself into a desire to convince her of the truth of his beliefs. But he was not deceived, he knew her well enough to understand, to feel the indomitable spirit of resistance in her. Swayed she could be, but she would not easily surrender.

"There is another phrase," she said after a moment, "which I have never heard explained, 'descended into hell.'"

"It was merely a matter of controversy those who declared Christ was taken from the cross before he died. In the childish science of time, to say that one descended into hell was to affirm that he was actually dead, since the souls of the departed were supposed to go at once to hell. Hell and heaven were definite places. To say that Christ ascended to heaven and sat on the right hand of the Father is to declare one's faith that his responsible work in the spiritual realm continues."

And the Atonement.

"And the Atonement? doesn't that imply a sacrifice of propitiation?"

"Atonement may be pronounced At-one-ment," Hodder replied. "The old idea, illustrated by a reference to the sacrifice of the ancients, fails to convey the truth to modern minds. And moreover, as I have inferred, these matters had to be conveyed in symbols, until mankind were prepared to grasp the underlying spiritual truths which Christ sought to convey. Orthodox Christianity has been so profoundly affected by the ancient Jewish religion that the conception of God as wrathful and jealous — a God wholly outside — has persisted to our times. The Atonement means union with the Spirit of the Universe through vicarious suffering, and experience teaches us that our own sufferings are of no account unless they be for a cause, for the furtherance of the design of the beneficent Spirit which is continually at work. Christ may be said to have died for humanity because he had to suffer death itself in order to reveal the complete meaning of life. You once spoke to me about the sense of sin—of being unable to feel it."

She glanced at him quickly, but did not speak.

"There is a theory concerning this," he continued, "which has undoubtedly helped many people, and which may be found in the writings of certain modern psychologists. It is that we have a conscious, or lower, human self, and a subconscious, or better self. This subconscious self stretches down, as it were, into the depths of the universe and taps the source of spiritual power. And it is through the subconscious self that every man is potentially divine. Potentially, because the conscious self has to reach out by an effort of the will to effect this union with the spiritual in the subconscious, and when it is effected, it comes from the response of the subconscious. Apparently from without, as a gift, and therefore, in theological language, it is called grace. This is what is meant by being 'born again,' the incarnation of the Spirit in the conscious, or human. The two selves are no longer divided, and the higher self assumes control—takes the reins, so to speak.

"It is interesting, as a theory. And the fact that it has been seriously combated by writers who deny such a function of the subconscious does not at all affect the reality of the experience.

"Once we have had a vision of the true meaning of life, a vision which stirs the energies of our being, what is called 'a sense of sin' inevitably follows. It is the discontent, the regret, in the light of a higher knowledge, for the lost opportunities, for a past life which has been uncontrolled by any unifying purpose, misspent in futile undertakings, wasted, perhaps in foolish and selfish caprices which have not only harmed ourselves but others. Although we struggle, yet by habit, by self-indulgence, by lack of or sustained purpose, we have formed a character from which genuine aspirations are hopeless.

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When a Girl Marries

By Ann Lisle

SUNDAY morning, the day after the accident that had cost Sheldon Blake's life and had sent Val for a enforced visit to Dreamwold, I hurried around to the sick-room. The nurse came to the door in response to my knock and stepped out into the hall in considerable distress.

"Mrs. Conby's very restless and irritable. I think she'd better not see anyone," she stammered.

"Will you ask her if there is anything I can do for her?" I replied, with the stiffness people have a way of showing when shut out of sick-rooms to which they flatter themselves they could bring cheer if only officious nurses didn't forbid them.

Then I saw that Miss McNeil was far from officious. Instead, that she was a sweet girl, charged with a responsibility which made her miserable. In that second I surmised that Val had refused to see me and that the nurse was trying to spare my feelings. But still I gave no more than a passing thought to Val's abuse of me the day before.

Later Miss McNeil came down to the breakfast room with another message I could see she was loath to deliver.

"My patient is very tired. The reaction," she explained, smiling apologetically. "She thinks she'd best be quiet all day and see no one. I agree with her, so if you'll all forgive me I'm going to forbid her having any visitors."

Everyone seemed to accept this as the natural reaction from all Val had gone through the day before. But I saw that there was more to it than that. Val really wanted to keep me out of her room, and in order to avoid comment and surprise she was denying herself to everyone. What I couldn't fathom was the motive that made Val wish to avoid me. Was that motive dislike or fear?

The events of the afternoon deepened this mystery which piqued and troubled me.

Jim and I walked over to Mason Towers. We took the short cut—the little green path. But when Jim noticed how I trembled and shook beyond all my efforts at self-control, he declared.

"I'm sorry, dear, that I brought you this way. It's too near the awful scene you witnessed yesterday. We'll go back by the high road."

It seems queer now to realize how much difference his decision made.

When we got to Mason Towers Evvy's colorless little mother received us. She had the look of a startled rabbit that would love to go back to nibbling its greens if only some one would call off the disturbers who are making its hutch unhappy. But she tried to assume an air of importance and sympathy in keeping with the events about her.

"My poor Evvy can't see you," she said, mournfully. "The poor child is keeping to her room. She is so sensitive and this—this has completely upset her."

Her words seemed inadequate for the large affairs she was trying to suggest. And she went on with her repetitions and from bad to worse.

"Do you think we can help Sheldon? The poor boy looks so natural."

It was true. He did. There was a look of arrested emotion about Sheldon even in death. His seemed still radiant, compelling and full of unfulfilled desires and magnetism and the wish to live fully and expansively no matter what the cost. Tears came to my eyes as I realized that the price of life as he had wanted to live it was death. After a minute I went out of the still room where he lay in even greater stillness. I wanted Jim to be alone to pay his tribute to the friend of his boyhood. And the chattering little woman who kept hitching her gray-knitted scarf up on her shoulders and twitching words from her mumbling mouth, took all the sacredness from death.

When Jim rejoined us, Mrs. Mason began explaining and apologizing again.

"Evvy can't see you. She's lying down to get strength for the journey. Oh, didn't you know? She's going South with all that is mortal of the poor boy. Yes, they're taking the poor boy home. Oh, didn't you know? Her cousin, Tom, is going with her. We wouldn't consider the poor girl's taking the trip alone."

Jim and I exchanged glances. I knew he shared my wonder as to how this inadequate little mother could ever have stopped Evvy from anything the wilful girl wanted to do.

Finally we got away. Dusk was falling. As Jim had promised, we went round the long way by the highroad. As we were nearing the front porch Jim seized my arm and pulled me around to face the bushes that were between us and the spot where the green path dipped away from our ground toward Mason Terrace.

"Did you see some one dodge behind those bushes just as we came around the curve?" he demanded.

"No, dear. We could be hiding there?"

"Evvy," said Jim, curtly.

"But why?" I asked, nervously. "Her mother said she was lying down."

"Her mother," repeated Jim, scornfully.

"And that train she's taking starts in less than an hour. What would she be doing here?"

"That's just what I want to know," said Jim, starting toward the little path with a certain stealthiness.

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Personally Grateful

"You may have heard of me—I am Dr. Bragman," the pompous gentleman announced in the smoking compartment.

"Ah, then I have the opportunity to thank you for what you did for me," the quiet young fellow in the corner responded. "I have benefited greatly by your treatment."

"Why—how—were you a patient of mine? Though, of course, I couldn't possibly remember all——"

"Oh, no; not I. But my uncle was, and I was his heir."

The Rights of the Child

By Dr. Wm. A. McKeever

THE right to sound health.

The right to good food.

The right to happy play.

The right to creative industry.

The right to decent companionships.

The right to a respectable home.

The right to some form of worship.

The State Teachers' Association of Connecticut has undertaken a most interesting piece of propaganda; that is, this body is sending out over the State a post-card advertisement of the rights of the child, so that, if possible, all may recognise as a sort of "bill of rights" the fundamental needs of the infantile nature. I have adapted their "bill" and enlarged it to include what seems to me a more comprehensive schedule.

But the idea here is two-fold, to standardize and to popularize the all-around well-being which the young have a right to demand of us. Parents everywhere are proceeding under an ancient and traditional theory of rights of their own as to the possession and control of their offspring.

Perhaps one of the most serious forms of abuse of children by parents and by the business world is industrial exploitation. Millions of youths and children are being employed in "gainful occupations," a practice which clashes sharply with the idea of creative, i. e., character building, industry.

There is a sharp trade-motto in the business world today which states that "if you advertise it sufficiently, you can't sell it cheap; and if you also advertise it honestly you can sell it indefinitely."

So, here is a piece of first-class goods insufficiently known and appreciated, namely the common child as the deserver of our common support and fidelity. The Connecticut teachers' plan would make the clear definition of this growing, deserving ward of society so conspicuous as to be recognized by all at a glance. Not only parents and ordinary citizens, but even the teachers themselves would become more generous and more helpful in their attitude toward young humanity as a whole.

Now, here is a "going young concern, which deserves your patronage," as the business promoter of the world says. Let us add the word on to the millions on postcards and in every other conceivable manner.

If my advertisement does not suit you, write it better if you can. The earnest thing is to get it along and help the people to know more about the greatest resources of civilization. By all means, advertise the eternal childhood of the race.

Cruel Question.

TWO actors were waiting to see a theatrical manager, with a view of obtaining an engagement, and during the wait they were boasting of their theatrical exploits. "I, my boy," said one, "when I played 'Hamlet' the audience took fifteen minutes to leave the theatre." The other actor looked at him. "Oh," he inquired gently, "was he lame?"

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It never varies
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HELLO OLIVE OYL- THIS IS HAM- I'M GONNA BRING YOU ENOUGH CANDY TO LAST YOU A WEEK
HOO-RAY-! HE'S LOOSENED UP AT LAST!
OH HAM- DID YOU REALLY BUY ME ENOUGH CANDY TO LAST A WEEK?
YEP- SEVEN "ALL DAY SUCKERS"
PLOP

THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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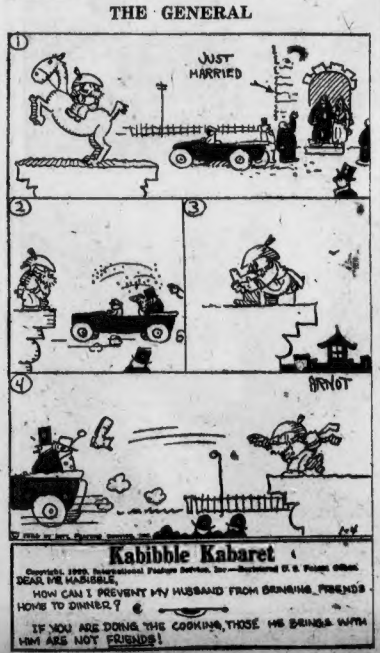
THE GENERAL



Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR. MABIBBLE,

HOW CAN I PREVENT MY HUSBAND FROM BRINGING FRIENDS HOME TO DINNER?

IF YOU ARE DOING THE COOKING, THOSE HE BRINGS WITH HIM ARE NOT FRIENDS!

BRINGING UP FATHER

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A MOVING PICTURE COMEDY, NOT AN ANIMATED CARTOON

BOY- DON'T MISS THE CHOWDER PARTY AT DUGAN'S TONIGHT THEY ALL EXPECT YOUSE-
I'LL BE THERE LIKE A DUCK!
WHO CAN THAT BE ON THE PHONE!
BY GOLLY- IT'S GONNA BE A GRAND NIGHT- AN' I GOT IT ALL FIXED TO SNEAK OUT!
OH YES- MRS. SMITH- YES- I HEARD ABOUT THE CHOWDER PARTY AT THAT HORRID DUGAN RESORT- I'M GOING THERE WITH FIVE POLICEMEN TO SEE THAT THE LAW IS OBEYED
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RATS!

POLLY AND HER PALS

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"Breakers Ahead"—for Pa!

HAVE A CHAIR, MR. HAWKSHAW. I'LL TELL PA YOU'RE HERE.
WITH PLEASURE, POLLY. THANK'YE!
BUENAS MR. HAWKSHAW. I HOPE YER QUITE RECOVERED FROM YOUR ILLNESS?
ILLNESS?
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WHY, BLESS YER HEART MRS. P. IVE NEVER BEEN ILL IN MY LIFE!
STRANGE! I COULD'A SWORE IT WAS YOU, PAW SAID HE SET UP WITH LAST NIGHT!
SQUEAK!

JERRY ON THE JOB

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That Would Simplify Things

THIS BOOSTING CAMPAIGN WILL REALLY HELP US IN THE LONG RUN- SO KEEP ON BOOSTING THE TOWN- BOOST THE CLIMATE, BOOST THE AIR, BOOST THE LOCATION- BOOST EVERYTHING.
SURE I WILL.
ONES- ITS A VERY SUPERIOR TOWN- VERY SUPERIOR.
NICE TOWN WE GOT- DONTCHA THINK?
NICE AIR TOO- EH?
YES- MUCH BETTER AIR THAN WE GET IN THE CITY-
TO THE TRAINS
I OFTEN WONDER WHY ALL THE BIG CITIES AINT BUILT OUT IN THE COUNTRY.
FROM THE TRAINS

ABIE THE AGENT

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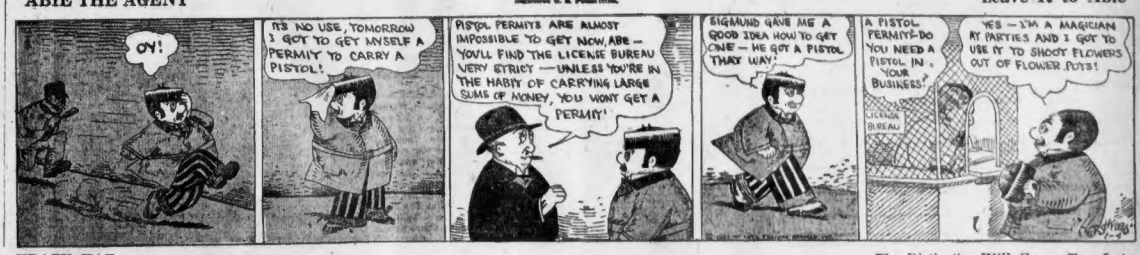
Leave It to Abie


OY!
IT'S NO USE, TOMORROW I GOT TO GET MYSELF A PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL!
PISTOL PERMITS ARE ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO GET NOW, ABE- YOU'LL FIND THE LICENSE BUREAU VERY STRICT- UNLESS YOU'RE IN THE HABIT OF CARRYING LARGE SUMS OF MONEY, YOU WONT GET A PERMIT!
SIGMUND GAVE ME A GOOD IDEA HOW TO GET ONE- HE GOT A PISTOL THAT WAY!
A PISTOL PERMIT- DO YOU NEED A PISTOL IN YOUR BUSINESS?
LICENSE BUREAU
YES- I'M A MAGICIAN AT PARTIES AND I GOT TO USE IT TO SHOOT FLOWERS OUT OF FLOWER POTS!

KRAZY KAT

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The Distinction Will Come Too Late

KLUCK KLUCK KLUCKITY KLUCK
POOR OLE MISS HENN-
WHY POOR?
SHE COMES FROM SUCH A LOW STRATA OF SOCIETY
YES, SHE'S OF THE PEASANTRY I ADMIT
ALBUBA WILL SHE BE ABLE TO ADVANCE HER SOCIAL POSITION-
AND YET SHE MAY BE ACCLAIMED AS ROYALTY SOME DAY
ROYALTY !!! HAH- HOW COME ?
AS CHICKEN A LA KING-
AND NOW LET US CALL ON MR. POLLY- THE CAPITAL BRICK MERCHANT-

HOW DO THEY DO IT

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Never Satisfied

HOW'S YOUR FATHER THERE, BILLY- HOW'S HE GETTING ALONG
WELL HE SHOULD HAVE NO KICK- HE'S ENJOYING A PEACEFUL AND PROSPEROUS OLD AGE
IT WAS A LOT DIFFERENT WHEN HE WAS A YOUNG BUCK- HE HAD TO WORK 18 HOURS A DAY FOR A DOLLAR. DIDN'T HAVE A SHIRT TO HIS BACK OR GRUB ENOUGH- HALF OF THE TIME- HE HAD A HARD KIDADOD
BUT SINCE HE WON THE GRAND PRIZE IN A CHINESE LOTTERY HE'S HAD NOTHING TO DO BUT LIVE ON HIS INTEREST AND SMOKE MY WIFE'S CIGARETTES- SORT FOR THE OLD BOY- EH- WHAT
I SHOULD SAY THAT BILL'S OLD MAN, SURE OUGHTA BE SATISFIED WITH LIFE
GOSH DING BUST THIS MODERN, FEEL WAY OF LIVING- EVERYTHING'S GOING TO THE DOGS- GIMME THE GOOD OLD TIMES- BR-R-R- WOOP- WOOP-
ARNOT

Never Too Late to Start in This $5,000 Movie Test! Ask Your Newsdealer!

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READ THE RULES CAREFULLY. THEN IDENTIFY THESE TWO PHOTOGRAPHS. CLIP THEM OUT OF THE PAPER. SEND THEM IN AT THE END OF THE TEST.

THIS IS .....
(Name of Player Here.)

THIS IS .....
(Name of Player Here.)

YOUR NAME.....

THEATRE YOU ATTEND.....

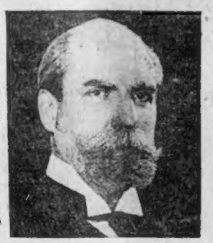
STREET ADDRESS.....

CITY OR TOWN.....

RULES AND DETAILS OF MOVIE IDENTIFICATION TEST ON PAGE 6.

FAMOUS VIOLIN AND VIOLINIST—Signor Carlo Sabatini, famous Italian violinist, and his $10,000 violin arrive for a concert tour of the United States. (Int.)

SENSE AND NONSENSE—Miss Jane Bennett of Philadelphia wears spiral leggings to keep her legs warm. Then she raises her skirts to cool them off (the legs). And they say Philadelphia is slow. (c) Keystone.



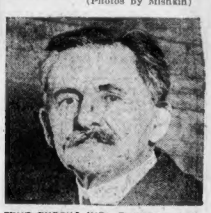
NEXT SECRETARY OF STATE?—Charles Evans Hughes, who owns the finest set of hirsute decorations in the country outside of J. Ham Lewis, is said to be slated for Harding cabinet post. (c) U. & U.

GO TO IT, SENATOR—Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, newspaper man and farmer, wants to know why $68.50 worth of wheat costs us $391.33 in loaves of bread. Why? That's what we want to know. (c) U. & U.

FAMOUS FOKINES IN AMERICA—Vera Fokine and her husband, Michel Fokine, famous dancers of the Russian ballet, have arrived in America and will stage the Russian ballet here. They will train American dancers for the staging of the most gorgeous ballet ever attempted in this country. Madame Fokine is shown at the left in one of her charming interpretations while her husband is shown at the right as The Faun in L' Apres Midi d'un Faune. Will the ballet become a permanent figure on the American stage?
(Photos by Mishkin)

THE PUBLIC IS A FOOL!—The man who first said this aroused the ire of his neighbors, but wasn't he right after all? "Monk" Eastman, gangster and crook of the lowest type went to war for excitement. He was pardoned and returned to New York to again lead a life of crime and debauchery. Murdered, he was given a military funeral with all the trimmings and thousands turned out. His coffin was draped with an American flag! An American flag!
(c) Underwood & Underwood.

WEIRD BURIAL METHODS—The Igorotte tribes in the South Philippines have a queer method of burial. They place their dead in special bambo huts instead of under the ground. This quaint practice dates back many centuries. Tough on the undertakers.
(International.)



THE EUREKA KID—Professor A. A. Michelson, noted scientist (University of Chicago) has found a method whereby the dimensions of distant stars can be measured.
(c) U. & U.

WHERE WINTER REIGNS SUPREME—Lake Placid, New York, is the Switzerland of America in the Winter time. Every branch of snow and ice sports thrives here, and skating, skiing, snowshoeing, ioeboating, tobogganing, curling, bobbing and other redblooded sports are indulged in instead of tea fights and dances. The above photograph shows Miss G. M. Mordhurst and Miss M. Brunswig starting down hill on skis. The girls dress in knickers as these sports are not meant for hoskirted feminists. A month of this life and the old rouge pot can be hurled out the window.
(International.)

SHIPPING BOARD STEAMER BURNS—The U. S. Shipping Board Steamer West Eagle is shown here as it appears while burning off the coast of Montevideo, Uruguay. The fire is supposed to have originated from spontaneous combustion of coal in one of the forward holds. Hold No. 1 contained 5,000 gallons of gasoline, No. 2, general cargo and No. 3, coal. The entire forward part of the ship was destroyed and the loss is estimated at $500,000. The fire occurred in the roads and a number of ships stood by ready to render assistance. The picture was taken from one of these boats.
(International)

MILK ON THE HOOF—In certain parts of India there are no such modern conveniences as milk wagons, yet buffalo milk is obtainable from the original sanitary container. The owner of Mrs. Buffalo leads her "about town and you step out and help yourself to your day's needs in the line of milk. The buffalo is fed as she goes, which produces more milk. Sort of self-filling bottle.
(Int.)

EASTERN MILLS RESUME WORK

Textile and Automobile Plants Take Back Many Workers

The reopening of mills and factories throughout the East, together with the resumption of work on a number of Detroit automobile plants, indicated a distinct improvement in the industrial situation today.

While the majority of the industries are running on part time, with reduced wages, it was announced that the number of employes would be increased gradually, with the plants on full time in a few weeks.

Textile manufacturers in and about Providence reported the reopening of many mills that had been closed for a few days or weeks, with a fairly general lengthening of working schedules. Goddard Bros. also cut the prices on its woolens 15 to ten cents a yard, following the action of B. B. & R. Knight, Inc.

In Manchester, N. H., 13,000 operatives have resumed work after a complete shutdown of every department in the mills for nine days, at the wage of many months in the worsted department. This department is starting on a three days' schedule, as are all other departments. The Amoskeag and Stark mills will run on half time until further notice.

SHOE PLANT REOPENS.

The George R. Jones Shoe Company reopened its cutting room after a complete idleness in the factory during the last three months. Other departments will reopen in a week. The factory is running on full time.

The Pacific mills at Lawrence, employing 7,000 persons, reopened after being shut down since December 24, although not running on full time.

At Burlington, Vt., the Queen City Cotton Company announced that its mill would resume operations next Monday morning, employing its 350 workers on a better than half-time basis.

At Springfield, Mass., more than 500 employes returned to work when factories resumed operations after having closed for inventories. The Boston & Albany Railroad car repair shops in West Springfield reopened after a week's shutdown, re-employing 80 per cent. of the 100 former workers.

The Goodall Worsted Company's mills at Sanford, Me., and Saco-Pettee Beach cloth, resumed operations after a shutdown of several days, with a cut in wages.

ANNOUNCE WAGE CUTS.

The Standish Worsted Mills and the George Mabbett & Sons Company Mills at Plymouth, Mass., announced cuts of 22½ per cent. in wages. A wage reduction of 10 per cents, effective January 3, was announced by the Winchester Repeating Arms Company at New Haven.

A reduction of 15 per cent. in wages went into effect at the woolen mill of the Abbot Worsted Co. at Lewiston, Me., and the machine shops of Fay & Scott at the same place closed for a week.

It was announced that 4,600 cotton mill operatives in the vicinity of Plainfield, Ct., have started work on longer hours than for many weeks. Nearly half of that number are on full time. There is said to be a general improvement in the cotton business.

Nine hundred car workers are employed at the West Albany, N. Y., shops of the New York Central, who were laid off December 23, have returned to work.

IN CLOTHING TRADE.

Nineteen clothing and shoe factories, employing about 14,000 persons, in Rochester, N. Y., are gradually returning to normal conditions, it was stated. It was predicted that within two weeks all the clothing factories would be running in full.

In Detroit a number of automobile plants reopened on part time basis and re-employed a total of nearly 10,000 men. Other manufacturers expect to resume after the New York show. Among those that have resumed partial operation are the Packard, Cadillac, Studebaker, Paige-Detroit, Lafayette, Chalmers and Columbia motor plants. It was announced in the majority of cases that more workers would be taken on from time to time, as orders begin to come in, until the plants are running on full time.

COMMANDER WHO DEFIED GERMANS ARRIVES IN U. S.

New York, Jan. 4.—Commander T. G. Ellyson, U. S. N., formerly in charge of the destroyer Brooks, who recently refused to leave the Kiel Canal when the Germans trained their guns on his ship and said he would fire if he did not depart within thirty minutes, arrived here aboard the Army transport Cadillac today. Ellyson said he had been relieved of his command of the American Baltic patrol, unreasonably, at the request of the Kaiser.

"Admiral Huse, in command of the American naval forces in European waters, did not approve of what I did, but understood that he also had been ordered home," said Ellyson.

CHARLESTOWN CHURCH PLANS ANNUAL SUPPER

The annual parish supper and entertainment of the First Church, Green street, Charlestown, will be held tomorrow evening in the church under the direction of the men of the parish. The committee in charge of the affair comprises Daniel M. Pratt, John Hall, George A. Ray, James Thomas and John J. Mc-Donnell, while on the table committee are S. H. C. Williams, Frank P. Congdon, Harry Moore and Stewart Smyton.

100 BILLERICA SHOPMEN WILL LOSE THEIR JOBS

With the announcement that the 100 employes in the Boston & Albany car shops at Springfield had reopened, re-employing eighty of the former 180 workers, the Boston & Maine railroad stated that further discontinue all further night work at its Billerica shops. This affects 100 men.

CANADIANS MUST FILE INHERITANCE NOTICE

Washington, Jan. 4.—The Supreme Court, in a decision just handed down, has ruled that subjects of Great Britain, resident in Canada, are not entitled to inherit property in the United States under existing treaties between this country and Britain until formal notice has been given as required by the treaty.

ON STAGE

RUTH MARY LOCKWOOD.

CHARGES 'CHIEF' KICKED BOY

Portland Judge Appears Before Aldermen, but Is Denied Full Hearing

Portland, Me., Jan. 4.—Judge Joseph E. F. Connolly appeared informally before the Board of Aldermen to substantiate charges made against the police department during his recent unsuccessful mayoralty campaign. The council chamber was jammed with interested citizens.

The judge has made charges that Chief of Police Irving B. White had "kicked" a small boy; that he had made threats against one of the women deputy sheriffs and that he had threatened to line up the police against the sheriff's department.

The aldermen paid no heed to Judge Connolly's previous request to organize a committee to receive evidence which he would present against the chief.

Mayor Charles B. Clark, after the judge had referred to but a small part of his evidence, declared that he thought the testimony should be offered at a formal investigation. Judge Connolly replied he would file his efforts and his evidence at the service of any public-spirited citizens' committee of investigation.

Other Theatres

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE — "Clarence," with Alfred Lunt in the title role, began an engagement at the Hollis last night. "Clarence" was written by Booth Tarkington, and was one of last season's hits in New York. It will be reviewed by Mr. Lockwood in Wednesday's Boston American.

ORPHEUM THEATRE—"Mercedes," the gayest sight we've seen in the world, and his assistant, Mlle. Stanlone, kept the audiences of yesterday in breathless amazement with their unusual feats of thought transference. They will remain throughout the week, other attractions, scheduled for the initial half of the week only, include Al Friend and Sam Downing in a hilarious laugh skit; Hite and Reflow in "Their Dream, Fantasy," Will Rawlen and Ella von Kaufman in a musical comedy; Josephine Lenhart in a cycle of character songs and impressions.

PARK THEATRE—A premiere bill was offered at the Park Theatre last night when "The Love Nest," a Paramount picturization of Opie Read's widely read novel, headed the attractions. The unfolding of the story of lightful romances furnishes the audiences with thrills aplenty, happening at they do among the Southern mountains, just at the close of the Civil War. The universal photo-drama, "Two Kinds of Love," takes one into quite a different atmosphere, that of a deserted mining camp after a mad rush for gold.

MODERN AND BEACON—A girl thief, pursued by the police, escapes by stepping unnoticed not only into a stranger's carriage, but into a new world—the world of decency and honor. Ill at ease at first, the little adventuress soon finds romance and excitement spicery in the strange adventure of "going straight," and Bebe Daniels, the star in this screen success, "In the Stranger's Carriage," carries her audience with her during all her exciting experiences.

"The Silver Lining" is another big picture success with Jewel Carmen starring.

GORDON'S OLYMPIA—In "Curtain!" her latest photoplay, shown at Gordon's Olympia yesterday, charming Katherine MacDonald has secured one of the most attractive vehicles of her career. A story of the stage it tells a pretty romance of a popular actress, who gave up her career to the love of her choice. Later she discovers his infidelity and returns to her profession.

SCOLLAY SQUARE OLYMPIA—In "Married Life," the new Mack Sennett five-reel super-comedy, shown at the Scollay Square Olympia this week, this master of mirth making has attained the almost impossible. In this purely human story of married life he has injected one thrill after another, and to make this feat doubly marvelous the thrills are so closely intertwined that the shivers up the spine are immediately dispelled by the laugh that follows.

GORDON'S OLD SOUTH—In "Behold My Wife!" at Gordon's Old South, George Melford has produced the finest photoplay of his career. The veteran producer of "Everywoman," "The Sea Wolf" and "The Round Up" has fairly outdone himself in this deeply appealing screen version of Sir Gilbert Parker's novel of the Canadian Northwest, "The Translation of a Savage."

NEW MUSICAL COMEDY AT THE GLOBE

Lilting tunes that linger in the memory, a chorus restful to the eye and quantities of clean and rapidly moving comedy characterize "It's Up to You," which opened an engagement at the Globe Theatre last night. This excellent offering of William Moore Patch is appropriately called a "musical girlicue-and-bluff-a-minute," but it does not depend on girls alone.

An audience that packed the house saw the initial performance and enjoyed the always snappy and sometimes brilliant lines and tuneful music almost as much as the "easy to look at" chorus previously referred to.

"It's Up to You" is the result of collaboration by Douglas Leavitt and Augustus Mitchell, the book and Harry Clarke and Edward Paulton on the lyrics. The headliners in the cast are Joseph Santley, Ivy Sawyer and Douglas Leavitt, the last-named "doubling" as author-comedian.

It has a plot. At least it has as near a plot as any production has seen lately. This plot concerns the efforts of a retired young tycoon, played by Santley and Leavitt, to build up a $250,000 fortune in order to overcome an ill-favored father-in-law-to-be and marry the girls of their several hearts.

Santley is the Joseph of the matinee girl's dream, as ever. He sings as well as ever, dances with spirit, and makes the most of his lines. Leavitt, a fat person, despite his hard work to the contrary, is a genuine fun-maker. He is successful to the "nth" degree.

Miss Sawyer, a good singer and beautiful dancer, and a very pretty girl to boot, is one of the hoped-for sisters for whom the two leading men go into the real estate business. Hinds Mary Lockwood is the other sister. She has a sweet voice, an agreeable manner of putting her personality across the footlights, and she looks that mark all the "It's Up to You" girls.

Norma Brown, as Lotta De Vere, the inevitable "adventuress," and Florence Hope, as Theresa Costello, an unusual stenographer, have parts scarcely less important than those of the leading women, and play them well.

Florence Earle plays Mrs. Van Laden Hollister, the mother of the two girls, and possessor of a determined chin and "hard-boiled eye." Harry Short, as a friend of Ned Spencer and Dick Dayton (played by Santley and Leavitt), is another of the best performers in a very proficient cast of fun and music makers. Ernest Albert Sackett plays Colonel Stephen Forrest.

Principal musical numbers are "Every Time I Kiss You," "Sweethearts in the Air"; "I'll Tell the World"; "Havana" and "I Want a Home."

Russ Hastings, Ralph Flatov, May Kitchen and Susanne Rossi is interpolated in the last act of the piece.

GORDON'S STRAND—Cecil B. De Mille has departed from his usual story of passion, and in "Old Wives for New" has produced a picture "Something to Think About," and, though the picture unfolds a virile story of plain folk in the middle west instead of a sophisticated drama of married life, it is produced with the same artistry and care of production that is expected in a De Mille photoplay. It is a delight to the audience at Gordon's Strand Theatre, Upham's Corner, last evening.

WALDRON'S—The first week's offering at Waldron's Casino is Joe Hurtig's "Social Maids," one of the most complete of the burlesque productions Mr. Hurtig has put on the road. He has spent a fortune in equipping it. As his part in the show he has George Niblo and Helen Spencer, two of the most clever dancers and purveyors of light, wholesome comedy on the stage today. They offer most entertainingly many of their own daring and sensational creations.

SOMERVILLE THEATRE—"Oh, My Dear," the first musical comedy piece of the present season staged by the Somerville Players, was presented generally received at both performances yesterday. Marguerite Fritts, especially engaged for the leading role, secured a distinct personal hit, while Carrol Ashburn acquitted himself with rare distinction. This delightfully refreshing and tuneful play was admirably put on.

COLUMBIA THEATRE—The attractions for the initial half of the week at the Columbia Theatre have included four acts of splendid vaudeville and the showing of two special photoplay features, "Sunbeam" in the novel and unusual picture, "Are All Men Alike?" was delightful and charming in the extreme.

NATIONAL THEATRE—The National Theatre, with the coming of the new year and the change of management, has taken on new life, offering high class vaudeville furnished by F. F. Keith Vaudeville Exchange with an abundance of bright and merry entertainment, and the showing of special photoplay productions. For the initial half, in addition to four acts of vaudeville, "The Call of Terror," is creating a very favorable impression.

CODMAN SQUARE THEATRE — A most attractive bill is offered at the Codman Square Theatre the initial half of the week, headed by a melange of clever vaudeville entertainers, and the screen production of Pauline Frederick in "A Slave to Beauty."

CAMBRIDGE CENTRAL SQUARE —One of the most attractive vaudeville attractions of the current season was shown last evening at Gordon's Cambridge Central Square Theatre. It is "Nomads of the North," by James Oliver Curwood, author of "Back to God's Country" and "The River's End."

MALDON AUDITORIUM—Yesterday at the Malden Auditorium the Temple Stock Company presented the comedy drama, "Mary Jane's Pa Shong," as this week's offering. This play was written by De Witt Mewling and the author has constructed a stirring play of which a charming love romance is the theme. It tells the love story of a little China maiden who, in this country, met a Young American, and who was attracted by the little daughter of the Orient and they exchange mutual confidences.

Season of Stock

Beginning Monday, January 10, the Arlington Players will begin a season of stock at the Arlington Theatre, presenting the best modern plays at a scale of prices calculated to bring happiness to Boston theatregoers.

MEGRUE PLAY DEVOID OF ACTION

By FRED J. McISAAC,
Dramatic Editor.

"Honors Are Even," by Roi Cooper Megrue, with William Courtenay and Lola Fisher, began an engagement at the Park Square Theatre last night. Mr. Megrue is the author of "Under Cover," a melodrama of mystery, "It Pays to Advertise," a slashing farce, and "Tea for Three," a dainty little drawing room comedy.

Megrue cannot be built without straw and plays cannot be made without plots, but in "Tea for Three" Megrue eked out a very scanty scenario with really brilliant dialogue. He is not very rich in that and got away with it. This apparently fired his ambition to skim over thinner ice, and in "Honors Are Even" between you and me and the gatepost he got wet.

Megrue has a fine talent for dialogue and quite a gift for creating amusing characters. In "Honors Are Even," he has not even had the wit to throw over an almost complete absence of incident and action. A very large proportion of the play at the end of the second act is all that saves the play from being pure literature. Certainly the character of Belinda in the author's mind, was to stand out as a creature of fine feminine charm, whimsical mind and a nimble tongue. To introduce her more impressively Megrue has her on the pastoral stage at the beginning of the play which enabled the audience to witness Belinda being wooed by three very different men at different times. But as we didn't know the girl or the men either, the proposals sounded rather stupid.

Megrue has a playwright myself, and I am aware it is easy to criticise, but it seems to me that the time to start a show is immediately after the curtain rises, and here we were listening to intimate and interesting conversation by people to whom we hadn't been introduced for more than half an hour before the play proper began.

By this time Belinda, whom we now know as Miss Carter, and who lives in a palace with an excellent view of the Palisades, was interested in a fourth man, none other than our old friend William Courtenay, last seen as the gentlemanly butler in "Civilian Clothes."

Other people came on and off for the remainder of the play, but they didn't say or do much. Courtenay and Belinda made "Smart Set" re-marks at each other, but not all the time. Once he invited her to have dinner in his room in Key West, Florida, alone, and she accepted. "Ah, ha," you said. "Here is a new kind of girl. Some fun, I'll bet, will be had in the next act." But our thoughtful friend Bill dug up Belinda's parents and brought her to the party on the sly so that everything should be just so.

Now Lola Fisher is an attractive little woman with an unusual voice and some considerable skill in acting, enables her to say saucy things more effectually than most actresses who would have a second Good Gracious, Annabel, in this part. And if Courtenay would only knock a few people down or otherwise show a large spirit we would pardon him for some of his epigrams.

The actors in the cast like the House of Lords in "Iolanthe"

"Did nothing in particular
And did it very well."

Plays That Remain

TREMONT THEATRE — Frances Starr began the second week of her engagement in "The Dream" in the new play, "One," by Edward Knoblock.

SHUBERT THEATRE—"The Passing Show," that symphonic saturnalia of syncopation, satire and satisfaction, Winter Garden's annual row-straffing week at the Shubert Theatre last night.

MAJESTIC THEATRE—Eddie Cantor, in "The Midnight Rounders," with Nan Halperin, began the second week of his Boston engagement last night.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE—The first week of that extra fine three-starred comedy concoction, "When We Are Forty-One," by Owen Davis, with Tell and George Marion are starred, began at the Wilbur Theatre last night.

ARLINGTON THEATRE—For the rest of his last week at the Arlington Theatre, Walter Hampden announces the following repertoire: Tonight, "Hamlet"; Wednesday matinee, "The Taming of the Shrew"; Wednesday and Friday nights, "The Servant in the House"; Thursday night and Saturday matinee "The Merchant of Venice"; Saturday night, "Hamlet."

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE — "Mayflies," most ostentious of modern comedies, began the last week of its engagement here at the Boston Opera House last night. Judging by the way the story has broken all engagements for return, engagements in Boston.

HARVEY WILL TRY AUTO THEFT CASES

George E. Harvey, who resigned his position as first assistant district attorney of Middlesex County last month, has been appointed special assistant district attorney to try auto theft cases by District Attorney Tuttle. There are more than 100 automobile thefts alleged to have occurred in the Cambridge implicating fifty-two defendants.

STATE CAPITOL OF WEST VIRGINIA BURNS

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 4.—The West Virginia State Capitol was destroyed by fire. Charles Walker was killed and two firemen were fatally injured. An investigation was started today to determine the origin of the fire. Only a part of the State archives were saved.

RECONSIDERATION OF EXPRESS MERGER ASKED

Washington, Jan. 4.—Reconsideration of its recent order approving the permanent merger of the four major express companies into the American Railway Express Company is asked in a brief filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission by the National Association of Railway and Utilities Commissioners on behalf of various State railroad and public utilities commissions.

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British Rule in Ireland Will Yet Arouse All Mankind's Execration

When the German army marched into Belgium, Belgian citizens here and there shot German soldiers from ambush. As "reprisals" for these acts the German military authorities had a certain number of Belgians shot, and burned a certain number of buildings—chiefly in the city of Louvain.

Everybody outside of Germany condemned these cruel reprisals, but nobody so loudly as the British did.

Pages and volumes were written to excite the indignation of the world. The whole body of British writing men was put to work to describe and denounce these "atrocities." The German soldiers and the German people were pictured as savage "Huns," not fit to associate with decent civilized peoples.

Then nobody was louder in denunciation or exhibited more horror of these reprisals than Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Balfour and Sir Edward Carson.

Yet at this very time in Ireland British soldiery and police, under the authority of Lloyd George and Balfour and Carson, are killing and maiming men, women and children, are burning public buildings, factories and private homes, and maintaining a reign of terror, intimidation, arson and massacre which at least equals (if it does not surpass) anything that the Germans were charged with doing in Belgium.

And this same British Government excuses the brutalities and atrocities of its soldiery and police in Ireland upon the same ground that the Germans excused their soldiers and police in Belgium—upon the ground of "reprisals" for the deaths of British soldiers and policemen shot, here and there, by Irish citizens.

There is no pretense that the men, women and children brutally killed by the soldiery had any hand in the attacks upon the soldiers and police.

There is no pretense that the individuals whose homes were wantonly blown up or burned to the ground had any hand in the scattered attacks upon the military.

Nobody, for example, believes that the soldiers who brutally turned their machine guns upon the peaceful spectators at the football games thought for a moment that they were wounding and killing any of the armed men who had attacked their comrades.

Nobody, for another example, believes that the public buildings and private residences and shops wantonly bombed and burned to the ground in Cork were owned by or occupied by the men who attacked and killed British soldiers and police.

Again, nobody believes that peaceful young men and women, innocently assembled at a harmless Christmas dance, were brutally shot down by British soldiery and police because of any crime that these young people had committed.

No, the whole bloody, brutal campaign of frightfulness is carried on against the innocent for the purpose of terrorism and to satisfy the hate which disgraces the British Government, and which transfers to the British people the epithet of "Hun" that they fastened upon their German enemies during the war.

There never was such a shameless exhibition of hypocrisy, such an indecent defiance of the opinion of mankind.

But according to the British propagandists, the same brutalities which are abhorrent when committed by German soldiers are merely stern, but necessary and justifiable, measures to restore order when committed by the infamous Black and Tans, under the command of English officers and by direction of the English Government.

In the one case, America was urged to go to war to punish such inhumanity on the part of Germany, and in the other case Americans are told by English Cabinet Ministers that it is "none of their damned business."

Well, it is our business.

It is the business of the whole world.

It is the business of every man and woman with a spark of human sentiment.

It is the business of every nation which believes in making even warfare something better and more decent than the burning of defenceless cities and towns, the destruction of harmless factories and shops, the maiming and killing and outraging of unarmed and innocent men and women and children.

We should think an Englishman would blush for shame when he hears, after this, his government or his press speaking of "Huns," or of the "atrocities" of Turks or Bolsheviki.

And the English people can be well assured that if they permit their government to carry on this campaign of frightfulness and savagery in Ireland, the rest of mankind will eventually hold the very name of Englishman in horror, and the public opinion of every other people will eventually make the British Empire pay the penalty even as the German Empire paid for such abominations of cruelty and military tyranny as those which are making poor Ireland the martyr of the nations and the object of the sympathy of all mankind.

Archaic Professor Shies at Railroad Regulation

The gentleman who is at the head of the economic department of Princeton University tells us that we are dangerously near objectionable paternalism in our attempt to regulate the railroads.

There are only two other courses open to this extraordinary professor. We can either let the railroads run themselves, with all it would mean in the way of bankruptcy, corruption, political domination and extortion of the general public, or we can abandon regulation and take the railroads and operate them as the other great civilized countries operate their railroads.

Since the reactionary used to charge every progressive reform to paternalism just as he now charges it to Socialism or Bolshevism, we suspect that the archaic professor from Princeton would prefer to see no regulation to government operation. Moreover, he would prefer no regulation at all. In this, at least, he is more logical than those who want to continue to fool with regulation.

A Dumbbell Clerk

Pronounced "Clark" in England

More Truth Than Poetry

It's Never a Matter of Luck

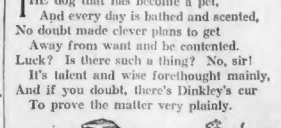
By S. E. KISER

HORATIO BRAGG, the millionaire,
Says luck is nothing but a fiction;
Success is for the ones who dare,
Or such is Mr. Bragg's conviction.
"It isn't luck at all," says he,
"That makes me rich or keeps you under;
I rose from wretched poverty,
But not through any lucky blunder.

"THERE'S no such thing as luck at all;
If one man has to serve his brother,
It simply proves that one is small,
While greatness lies within the other.
Luck never caused a chance to turn
For good or ill, for grief or pleasure.
We get exactly what we earn;
Wise effort is the only measure."

THE Dinkleys have a little cur,
Picked up one day, half-starved and bloody;
It now sleeps on a bed of fur,
And never gets its tootsies muddy.
It rides beside its mistress when
She goes in style to have an airing,
And barks at stray curs, now and then,
That limp along, no ribbons wearing.

THE dog that has become a pet,
And every day is bathed and scented,
No doubt made clever plans to get
Away from want and be contented.
Luck? Is there such a thing? No, sir!
It's talent and wise forethought mainly,
And if you doubt, there's Dinkley's cur
To prove the matter very plainly.



NOT INCLINED TO EXPLAIN

The average man is perfectly willing after he has made a lucky mistake to have it referred to as "a stroke of genius."

EVEN ON THE LORD'S DAY

A fanatic is a fool who wants other people to help him suffer the consequences of his folly.

Letters to the Editor

Suggestion for L

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—I was greatly interested in Mr. Edward Dana's letter to you a few days ago. It is evidently Mr. Dana's intention to improve service on the Boston Elevated, and that he will welcome any recommendations or suggestions which will help him accomplish this.

I should like to ask Mr. Dana why the Mattapan-Egleston square cars are not heated. They are equipped with heaters. Why are they not used? Cars operating on other lines are heated, and it is hard to understand why the patrons on this line are forced to undergo this discomfort. What is the reason?

We have no desire to ride in heatless cars through the Winter, and urge, Mr. Dana, that you remedy this condition at once. If you think this complaint is unfounded, why not ride in one of these cars from Mattapan square to Egleston square one of these mornings about 7:30 a. m. and judge for yourself. I'll warrant you'll make a rush for a warm "L" car at Egleston square.

Limited stop cars and three-car trains would greatly assist in eliminating congestion in the Egleston Square surface station during the evening rush hours. Why not give it a trial, Mr. Dana?

Yours very truly,
CHARLES A. HARRIS.
60 Deering road, Mattapan 26, Mass.

Where to Get the Money

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—Personally, I don't care whether they pay bonus or not, but for the others involved I hope they do.

I would reply to Mr. Houston in Washington as to where the money is coming from:

"The same place it would have come from had the war continued."

C. J. S.

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New Year's Greetings

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—Sincere New Year's greetings to you and to the members of your staff.

C. L. LUCKENBACH,
President Boston Branch, Railway Mail Association.

Ye TOWNE GOSSIP

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By K. C. B.

HE WAS tall.
AND FRIENDLY looking.
AND FOR half a block.
WE'D WALKED along.
SO NEARLY abreast.
THAT IT seemed to me.
THE HEIGHT of folly.
TO KEEP on going.
AND NOT be friends.
AND JUST about then.
HE SKIDDED a little.
AND I caught up.
AND SAID to him.
"IT LOOKS to me.
"IT MIGHT blow cold.
"AND FREEZE the slush."
AND WHAT he said.
I MADE it out.
AS A request.
I REPEAT my words.
AND SO I said.
"IT LOOKS to me.
"IT MIGHT blow cold.
"AND FREEZE the slush."
AND HE spoke again.
AND AS he did.
HE CAME to a halt.
AND SO did I.
AND ALL I could get.
FROM WHAT he said.
WAS JUST the fact.
HE COULDN'T speak English.
AND AFTER that.
THERE WAS nothing to do.
FOR EITHER of us.
BUT JUST look foolish.
AND SMILE a little.
AND KEEP on going.
THE WHICH we did.
AND IT made me nervous.
HAVING HIM along.
AND ALL the time.
I KEPT repeating.
WITHIN MY mind.
"IT LOOKS to me.
"IT MIGHT blow cold.
"AND FREEZE the slush."
AND I felt very silly.
AND I think he did.
AND SIDE by side.
STRANGERS TO each other.
WE WALKED together.
A BLOCK and a half.
AND NEVER said a word.

I THANK you.

JUST A WILD GUESS

A Missouri paper says: "The stork visited at Dave Howard's a few days ago and left a fine baby, a boy or a girl, but we haven't learned which."

"TIN" EARS ACQUIRED BY MANY BOXERS

By Damon Runyon.

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I NOTICE my friend Jack Dempsey, the heavyweight champion, dropped off at a doctor's house in Michigan to get his ear patched up.

Bill Brennan chopped Jack's auricular appendage in their recent battle at Madison Square Garden, and the champion has shoved in for repairs. He is afraid of developing the fighter's dread, a "cauliflower" or "tin" ear.

A "cauliflower" or "tin" ear is a subject worthy of scientific discussion, otherwise I would print this treatise on the sporting page. Fighters abhor the "cauliflower" ear because it spoils a man's looks. Furthermore, a "cauliflower" ear is supposed to be a direct aspersion upon his cleverness. The theory is that a clever man ought to be able to avoid the blows that produce the "cauliflower" effect.

However, some of the cleverest men that ever drew on boxing gloves wear "cauliflower" ears. Young Griffo, now a pudgy, grizzled old man, could stand on a handkerchief in the days of his youth and nobody could hit him, yet he has a pair of mussed-up ears. He acquired them early in his career, before he learned how to move his head around and avoid punches.

Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, an extraordinarily clever fellow, has one ear all bunched together. He got it in his first fight.

I had a talk the other day with old Tom O'Rourke, veteran handler of fighters, about this matter of "cauliflower" ears, and he gave me much information on the subject. Mr. O'Rourke pointed out at once that not only fighters, but wrestlers and other athletes, acquire these ears.

"Acrobats often get them, especially those who do high and lofty tumbling," said Mr O'Rourke. "The fellow who acts as the 'understander,' or ground man in a tumbling act, from whose shoulders the somersault and return is made, frequently has 'cauliflower' ears.

"The chap who does the somersault may misjudge his footing the fraction of an inch in coming back to the understander's shoulders, turn the understander's ear, and the result is a beautiful 'cauliflower.' Acrobats generally wear skull caps so that the somersaulter's foot slips over the ear without turning it.

"A 'cauliflower' is caused by the breaking of the cartilage in the ear," continued Mr. O'Rourke. "An ice or a hot water bag applied at once will help keep the inflammation from spreading and the blood from congealing, and then if you can get a surgeon in time you may prevent a 'cauliflower.'

"Once the blood congeals an hour, nothing can help it. The only thing the surgeon can do then is to wait for the ear to harden, then rip it open and lay the skin back, but, even so, the marks are pretty apt to show.

"Wrestlers get the 'cauliflowers' by their opponents rolling and cracking their ears until the cartilage breaks. You can give yourself one by bending your own ear over like a piece of cardboard.

"A lot of fighters who get 'cauliflower' ears in the ring try to have them restored after they quit the ring," said Mr. O'Rourke. "I have never seen many successful operations along that line. Generally the ears look worse than ever.

"No," concluded Mr. O'Rourke, "the 'cauliflower' ear does not seem to bother the hearing. I've seen hundreds of fighters with both ears well 'cauliflowered,' and they could always hear perfectly. However, I've always believed that constant pounding around the head is bound to sooner or later affect a man's mentality."

"One moment," I said. "Did you ever hear of a woman having a 'cauliflower' ear?"

"No," said Mr. O'Rourke, "I never did. They've got more sense than to go into a business where they're likely to get 'em."

Stars and Stripes

Fortune's smile has ruined more men than his frown.

He who will not admit that he was wrong merely shows that he knows no more today than he knew yesterday.

An attempt to smother truth under a mass of deception is like trying to quell a flaming fire with a bundle of straw.

If you would sit on a throne that is both powerful and safe, conquer your ignorance, passions and fears, and become ruler of yourself.

No great battle was ever won under a banner with the motto, "What's the Use?"

The man who is slow to go to work is generally quick to spend his pay.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST LOVER A SAINT

By Spectator

THE greatest lover in the world was St. Francis of Assisi.

Love may be the greatest thing in the world, but it takes a genius to see it. What chance was love to live in a world peopled with such giants as ambition, lust, greed, hate and selfishness? A man that can see that love is able to conquer all these and drive them to his will is as great an inventor as Edison.

Such a man was St. Francis.

He was born in 1182 at Assisi, a small town in Italy. His father, Peter Bernadone, was a cloth merchant, a money-making sort of man, who, when he found out that his son would not devote himself to getting rich, cast him off and always considered him a crazy fool.

Up to the age of twenty-five Francis was one of the most roaring blades of the city. One night, however, at a revel he was found toward morning sitting with his head propped upon his hand and looking disconsolate. His companions rallied him.

"Come, Francis, what's up with you? Are you thinking of getting married?"

Thus addressed the youth arose and fixing his great eyes upon them until silence fell in the room, replied:

"Yes, I am thinking of taking a wife more beautiful, more rich, more pure, than you could ever imagine." So saying he fled from their midst into the night.

Francis had recently been sick and during his illness had realized the hollowness of his debaucheries. [illegible] he had in mind was Lady Poverty.

For two years he struggled and prayed. He was accounted a madman. The children of the streets mocked him. His own family discarded him.

At last one day while praying in the little chapel of Damian, he found that which he had long sought. There took place in him that great miracle, too pronounced to be doubted, too strange to be understood. Out of the infinite the spirit of love had touched him. Ever after, it is said, he showed even the physical marks of this struggle.

On his side and in his hand he bore the stigmata or wounds of Christ.

He came forth anointed not to argue nor to fight nor to plan, but simply to love: not to be the hammer of heretics like St. Dominic, nor to be conqueror of kings like Innocent III., nor to be an organizer like Ignatius Loyola, but to be called "the lover of the poor." He called himself "the little poor man of Assisi." The legends which gathered around him are peculiar. It shows that he loved not only all men, but all created things. His heart overflowed upon every creature.

He loved flowers and enjoined upon his followers that their gardens should not be entirely given up to vegetables, but always a corner to be reserved for "our little sisters the flowers."

He loved the birds. Once while preaching he was surrounded by a great company of swallows, chattering loudly. "Be still, little sisters. It is my time to preach," he said, and the birds grew still. A lev.ret that had been caught was turned loose and immediately ran to Francis and took refuge in his breast. "Ah, little brother lev.eret," he cried, and took it to the woods and set it free.

He loved the very stones and the earth, the sun, the moon and the wind. Making all allowances for the exaggerations of medieval tradition, such stories at least have been founded upon an amazing fact.

One of the most naive and beautiful hymns of the Italian is his "Canticle to the Sun." It was one of the first attempts of the Italian vernacular to express itself in that beautiful tongue which sixty years later, became the vehicle of Dante's thought.

The words are full of majesty like that of the Hebrew prophets.

"Laudate, sie, mi signore, cum tuote le tue creature.
Spetialmente messer lo frate sola."

("Praised be my Lord, with all his creatures,
And specially our brother the sun.")

He continues, praising God for "our sister the Moon, our brother the Wind, our sister Water, who is very serviceable unto us and humble and chaste and clean; our brother Fire, our mother Earth, and last of all for our sister Death."

Thus did the cup of his full affection run over, and no thing God has made was met by him that he did not love it, and that did not love him in return, as far as in it lay.

Smiles

Have Smoked Glasses Ready

After a man has been long imprisoned it is difficult for him to see when he emerges into the sunlight. Think how Vice-President Marshall will blink about the 4th of March.